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## FOUND IN A POOL OF BLOOD

### August Mezalian Terribly Beaten With Club

As a result of bad feeling and several fights that started over a year ago, Monday night at Waukegan, August Mezalian was terribly beaten with a club by J. Avedsine, he alleges, and had it not been for the timely discovery of Officer John Seedy, would have died to death.

Seedy was passing the barn on South avenue, just at the top of the hill, which has been transformed into living rooms and a small store, when he heard groans and investigating found Mezalian lying on the bed in a pool of his own blood.

He was taken to the hospital in the Larson & Conrad ambulance and his wounds were found to consist of a deep gash about two inches below the left elbow that had broken a large artery and had splintered the radius; a bruise on the right hand

from the club; two more bad bruises on the right leg. His left leg is wooden and probably escaped injury for that reason.

It was from the wound in his arm that Mezalian almost died to death. When Dr. Kulowsky arrived the man's clothing and even the mattress on the bed were literally soaked with blood and he was almost gone. The wounded man said that Avedsine had entered his room and without a word had attacked him with a club. Avedsine keeps a tobacco store in the room next to Mezalian's.

Officer Seedy immediately went after Avedsine and arrested him in one of the Armenian boarding houses on Oak street. He was brought before Justice Weiss and his hearing was continued ten days. He was released under \$100 bonds.

### STAPLE FROM SLING SHOT HURTS EYE

#### Rondout Boy Victim of Careless Mischief of Playmate

In a moment of mischief, Friday, at Libertyville, one small boy in all probability ruined the entire life of another. At noon Julian Spoor, son of John Spoor, postmaster and station agent at Rondout, who goes to school at Libertyville, was sitting on a window ledge at the school house.

Eli McDonald, a boy of some 12 years, chanced to see him. Young McDonald had a sling shot in his hand. Spoor is said to have been eating a large piece of bread, when the other boy cried out to some comrades, "Watch me shoot the grab out of his hand."

In the flash of a second he had drawn the weapon taut and fired. Spoor was wearing glasses. There was a splintering of eye-crystals and a metal staple from the catapult tore through and into his eyeball.

The lid was torn by the rusty iron and fragments of glass entered the eyeball. With a cry young Spoor groped about blindly and helplessly. Teachers and pupils summoned a physician, Mr. F. H. Martin, who, after a moment's examination, announced the case as one requiring a specialist.

The physician dressed the wound as best he could and immediately took a train for Chicago with his patient. The father of the injured boy was telegraphed and boarded the train for the city, accompanying the boy as physician and boy passed through Rondout.

At the hospital it was announced that it was feared he would lose the sight of both eyes, though for some days this could not be positively ascertained. There is danger of blood poison or lock jaw as well from the rust of the metal.

The staple was pulled from a old wire fence adjoining the school ground by workmen and left upon the ground, where the mischievous lad found it. Thus a moment's careless fun has wrecked a boy's life; may possibly cause his death, and will cause him years of misfortune.

### HARD TASK FOR TRANSLATORS.

#### Much Ingenuity Called For in Compiling Bible Into Zulu.

In the words of the Reverend C. W. Kilbon, the true missionary aims to repeat the saying of his Master, "The words which thou gavest me I have given unto them." He may preach and explain, but the people must be able to search for themselves. Ultimately he must leave the Bible in the language of the people to whom he has been sent as the foundation upon which his work must rest. Strongly convinced of this, the Bible Society, working in Natal, South Africa, began the translation of the New Testament into Zulu. It was almost a task of despair. The mental capacity of the Zulus was of the lowest order, and they had practically no terms to express spiritual truths. There was no proper word for "God," and, of course, none for such abstract terms as "faith," "holiness," "worship," "conscience," "honesty," etc. A spiritual vocabulary had to be created, and existing words applied to material things had gradually to be twisted around with an ingenuity truly amazing. But at last the Zulus possessed a complete Zulu Bible in one volume, which was available for the millions of African savages who ranged from the borders of Cape Colony on the south to the shores of Lake Nyassa on the north, and from the Indian ocean on the east to the western borders of the Transvaal, and into Rhodesia on the west.—William George Fitz-Gerald in the Circle Magazine.

### Early Marriage.

Early marriage often makes a man. He ceases then to drift about the world like a ship without a rudder.—The Reader.

### DEATH OF MRS. MOORE

#### Another Old Resident Passed Away in the Eighty-fourth Year of Her Life.

On Tuesday morning of this week at about three o'clock occurred the death of Mrs. William Moore of this place, after an illness of about a week. She had been quite feeble for the past two years or more and when last week she was suddenly taken with a severe attack of grippe it was quite evident to those about her that she could not recover and her death had been hourly expected for some days, and on Monday she passed away in the eighty-fourth year of her age.

Elinor Cannell, wife of Wm. Moore was born on the Isle of Man on the eleventh day of March 1824, and was married to William Moore, on the Isle of Man in 1845. Mr. and Mrs. Moore decided to try their fortune in America and accordingly in the spring of 1849 they started for this country reaching here in the month of June. They made the trip in a sailing vessel it taking them six weeks to cross the water. During this voyage they were called upon to bear the loss of their only two children who were stricken with fever and were buried at sea. After their arrival in this country three more children were born to them, two sons and one daughter, one son, George W. died in 1888 and her husband passed away in 1891.

The Moore family for many years lived on their farm south of town but about seven years ago Mrs. Moore and daughter Elizabeth moved to this village where they have since resided. She leaves to mourn her loss one son, W. C. Moore of Chicago and one daughter, Elizabeth of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore were members of the Episcopal church in the old country, and on coming to this region united with the old Baptist church at Antioch and remained members till it disbanded, then they attended the M. E. church at Lake Villa.

Mrs. Moore was a firm believer in God and in her last sickness she frequently expressed her faith and trust in Christ, and died in the triumph of a living faith. The funeral services will be held this (Thursday) afternoon at one o'clock at the Antioch M. E. church, Rev. F. R. McNamer officiating, and interment will take place at the Monnville cemetery.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to thank those who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our mother, and especially the singers and those who furnished flowers.

W. C. Moore and family  
Miss Libbie Moore

**Advice to the Discontented.**  
Whenever you are tempted to growl against fate or complain of your lot just look around and find out what others are bearing. You will find many men with more brains and better education worse off than you are. Then compare your lot with that of such men and if you don't quit complaining and go in for rejoicing there's something radically wrong with your mental balance. When an obstacle gets in your way don't waste time and energy in complaining about it. If you can't push it out of your path get over it, under it or around it any way you can—and leave the obstacle behind you. The second obstacle will not appear half as big if you get past the first.—Spare Moments.

### Sweet Alyssum.

No white plant makes so charming a border as the Little Gem alyssum. It is charming for edgings, baskets, pots, rock work and for cutting. The seeds may be sown in the open early in the spring, or even late in the preceding autumn. It can also be started in pots in the house. For borders the seed should be sown thickly to form masses. Cutting back after the first flowers fade strengthens new growth.

### THEY AVOID TAX BY GETTING MARRIED

#### Zion City Young Man Gives Away Secret Why so Many Zion Weddings

For some time the marriage clerk in the county clerk's office has watched with much surprise the growing numbers of Zion City young people that are applying for marriage licenses. Various solutions have been advanced but they have all been dismissed as being too improbable to be considered even for a moment.

At last, however, one of the young beneficiaries himself has given out the real reason why so many of the young people are hurrying into wedlock. He says that it is because the young men are getting tired of being taxed. He states that during the Dowd regime a law went into effect stating that all old bachelors and maiden ladies must pay a certain fine.

For the men there was no way to get out of the paying of the tax but the women had one alternative. If they preferred they could become assistants in the baby house in that city. Then the money that was collected from the bachelors went to the support of the house. The scheme was a beautiful one and worked out perfectly for a time but at last the young men are becoming tired of paying this tax which does not cease until they are married.

In explaining the matter the young man said that the baby house had been instituted for mothers to leave their children in when they attended the meetings in the Tabernacle as Dowd absolutely refused to be annoyed by the crying of children while he was preaching. It seemed to him that the best way to maintain the house was to tax the bachelors and he proceeded to do this.

"This, the newly married young man claims is the reason that so many young men in Zion City are skimming about to get out of the taxable list as the law still holds as good as it did when Dowd established it.

### DOWIE'S WILL FILED

#### Lewis, Fielding H. Wilhite and James F. Peters Named as Executors

Dowie's will was filed last week after weeks of vexing delay, during which the whole of Zion City and all the people interested in it have been kept on edge.

It is an imposing document of many pages and covers as usual all of the points in the creed that the late apostle taught his people in addition to making numerous bequests.

The will was filed by Dowie's representatives, representatives of the Dowie family, which consisted solely of Mrs. Jane Dowie and A. J. Gladstone Dowie, and agents of other legatees. Attorney Witten of Chicago was one of those present.

The matter of confirming the executors that Dowie appointed will not come up until later.

Here are the provisions of the will:

Orders payment of just debts.

Gives widow, Mrs. Jane Dowie, only her dower and statutory rights in estate.

Gives son, Gladstone Dowie, \$10,000.

Gives Barnett Burleigh \$1,000 for saving Dowie's life in Jamaica.

Gives balance of estate to John A. Lewis as trustee.

Appoints Lewis spiritual successor as head of church.

Directs continuance of church work by Lewis, using estate for purpose.

If court finds Dowie had no legal title of property, directs selection of commission of five to determine disposition of whatever of estate may be left.

Names Lewis, Fielding H. Wilhite and James F. Peters executors of will.

In the application for letters testamentary which is made by Lewis, Fielding H. Wilhite and James F. Peters, mentioned in the will as its executors, it is stated that they believe that Dowie left property and interest in property to the total value of about \$8,000,000. Zion is counted in with this amount.

## OFFICER DROWNS IN FOX LAKE

### First Fatality of the Hunting Season in Lake County

While hunting for ducks on Fox Lake Sunday Patrolman John Baschinski of the Chicago Hinman street police station was drowned as the boat in which he and two companions were rowing sank in the high rolling waves.

In the boat with Officer Baschinski were his son John and William Clausen. When the boat sank these men swam to shore. Baschinski struggled to reach the shore, but was carried down by the heavy sea.

Baschinski and his hunting party left Chicago Sunday morning for a day's recreation. They engaged a boat and paddled around safely for hours, taking turns at the oars.

The lake then became restless and the waves ran high. Clausen and the son of the fated man urged Baschinski to turn in for the day, but the officer desired to stay on the water until evening.

Meanwhile the waves became higher and

higher, sweeping over the little vessel. Several heavy floods of water dashed into the little boat and the party began to run for the shore with all the force it could muster. Finally a heavy wave rose and came down with full force into the boat, sinking it.

The three men began to swim for shore. Though the water was cold and the waves high, the three men kept up their course shoreward steadily. Officer Baschinski a short distance behind the party.

About 100 feet from shore the elder man was seized with cramps and could go no further. His companions hastened to his help, but he slipped out of their grasp and was drowned.

Officer Baschinski was on the Chicago police force for twenty years and was known as one of the best men in the department.

He leaves to mourn his death a widow and seven children.

### GUARDING A GREAT HEIRESS.

#### Unfortunate Girl of Wealth Never Allowed Out Alone.

They do say that an American heiress of well known name is never by any chance allowed out of sight of one or more responsible persons, who act in the capacity of a body guard or secret service men. The luckless girl can never move outside the domicile for a run in the park or a trip down the avenue or pay a visit to another girl unless accompanied, not merely chaperoned. Chaperones do not count nowadays. And therefore these precautions? Simply because mademoiselle is such an heiress she is a quarry for fortune hunters and a recognized class of conspirators who stick at nothing in their social brigandage! Formerly it was the detriments whom mamma feared; now it is a much bolder schemer that may swoop down any moment and carry off the dove of millions. Funny, is it not, that such a state of things should have developed in America?—Boston Herald.

### To Encourage Thrift.

A New York man has just patented a device for the encouragement of thrift. It consists of a toy savings bank with a clock attachment. The clock is set in the face of the bank and cannot be wound unless a dime is dropped in the slot. As winding causes the dime to fall into the vault and the clock will run but 24 hours without rewinding the contrivance assures an accumulation of 70 cents a week. The theory is that the necessity of depositing a dime every day will lead to slipping in other coins at odd moments and thus establish a habit of saving.

### HINT FOR BOOK LENDERS.

#### Woman Has Ingenious Scheme Which Has Worked Well.

A book borrower's album is the device which a woman who has a fine library has employed in order that she may keep track of her books and that her friends may not be delinquent in returning them. She delighted in lending her books, but was far from pleased in punching her friends up for their return. Now when a friend asks the loan of a book she acquiesces readily enough, but requests the borrower to write in the album his, or her name and the date on which the book is borrowed. On returning it the borrower is asked to comment on the book and initial it.

This album always is kept in a conspicuous place in the drawing room, where visitors are likely to pick it up and glance it through, learning who is not prompt in returning books. The result is that this woman now has her books returned promptly, as the borrowers know they will be convicted in the album if they are delinquent. They take kindly to the plan, the lender does not have to prod them for the return of the books, and she has an album which is valuable to her as containing the comments of her friends on the treasures in her library.

### New Name for Knuckles.

In carving a fowl at the dinner table I made the remark that I was not successful in striking the joints. Seven-year-old Frederick at once asked what were joints, and I explained to him, calling his attention to the knuckles of his hand. His remark was: "I thought they were blinks."

## RULE OUT CITIZENS' TICKET

### Trial Board at Lake Villa Decides Ticket was Not Legal

An exciting time was seen at Lake Villa Monday night when a formal hearing was held on the matter of the illegality of the recent Citizens' caucus held there when the village ticket was launched.

The outcome of the hearing was that the judges decided the ticket placed in the field by the Citizens' party is illegal and cannot go on the ballot, hence the only ticket that will appear on the ballot is the Independent ticket which was put into existence through a petition proceedings.

The ticket which the Citizens party and the Independents put up are as follows:

**CITIZENS' TICKET**

President—William Bradley.

Trustees—C. B. Dix, Fred Hamlin, Chas. Jarvis.

**INDEPENDENT TICKET**

President—Chas. Harbaugh.

Trustees—Frank Hamlin, Jas. Atwell.

The trial board which heard the case Monday night consisted of President Chas. Harbaugh of the village board, Clerk Kerr and Trustee Frank Hamlin, chosen by lot.

Attorney P. L. Parsons of Waukegan appeared for the judges, to answer any questions they might wish. Attorney B. E. Miller of Libertyville, was there for the other side.

Developments of the hearing were that the Citizens' party held the caucus but that the judges and clerks when they made their returns merely signed the report and did not have the signatures of five per cent of the voters of the village attached thereto. It was held that the law says the caucus is not the final step, that the caucus in the village is merely to get the sentiment of the people as to who they wish, and that the next step is to file the petition for nomination as if no caucus was held. The Independents did not hold a caucus but merely filed their petition.

The judges decided that the latter ticket was the only one legally launched, however, and thus the matter stands. Whether the Citizens' people will carry the matter any further is not known, but the whole affair has created quite a scrap in the village.

### MAPS HELP A MAN SLEEP.

#### Mental Geography the Best Soporific According to a Drug Clerk.

A haggard-looking man strolled into a drug store the other day and asked the druggist for help. He said he had trouble in getting to sleep when he retired. No matter how sleepy he might be during the day or how much sleep he might have lost, the moment his head touched the pillow he was wide awake and lay thus for several hours. Once asleep, he was hard to waken, but he had to be up at a certain hour, and in consequence of his peculiar affliction he was losing more sleep than he could stand. The drug clerk regarded him quizzically a few moments and then replied: "My dear man, you don't need medicine. What you want is something to change the trend of your thoughts. Do as a friend of mine did. He was troubled the same way and found that the old folks' game of imagining sheep passing a barrier and counting them was out of date. So he began trying to name all the states in the union. He soon got them so he could classify them alphabetically. Then when they no longer interested him he started on the counties of this state. He now has them at his tongue's end, classified up to the fourth letter. Now he is starting on state capitals and their locations; then he will take up county seats. A moment's glance at an atlas during the day shows him when he is wrong, and the beauty of the plan is that he rarely has to think along these lines longer than ten minutes before he is sound asleep. To make it short, the study of geography is a good narcotic."

### THE CAT THAT REASONED.

#### Family Pet Made the Best of Unfavorable Situation.

"Talking about the ability of animals to reason," said a citizen, "you ought to see my wife's cat. He is a spoiled beast, and in the evening when the family is sitting about the lamp no objection is made to his jumping up on the table and walking around to be petted. But one thing he has learned by dint of several good whippings is that he must never get up on the table when it is spread for a meal. Well, one night recently when we came home from the theater we decided to have a little supper, and my wife spread a cloth over the end of the table. The cat just then entered the room. Walking to the table he was about to jump up when he caught sight of the white cloth over one end. It was plain that he was puzzled. First he went to the end that had no cloth, hesitated, and then returned to look at the end that contained the cloth. My wife and I stood still to watch him, and we had no doubt that he was assuring himself that the cloth was really there. At length he jumped up on a chair by the table so as to survey its top. The half of the table at which he sat was free from the cloth, and finally he very cautiously climbed up on the table and slowly crossing over to the half which contained the cloth, sat down at the very edge."

### The Feminine Plaint.

Helen, four years of age, while dining recently at the home of her aunt, desired her water glass refilled. Her father, who sat beside her, poured the water till it filled the glass to the very brim and threatened each moment to overflow. The little tot looked at it for a moment, and then in a disgusted tone remarked, "Now, ain't that just like a man."

### HIGHWOOD IS SURELY DOOMED

#### Legislature Is Taking Steps to Wipe Out North Shore Dives

Highwood's infamous dives are doomed in a report presented to the house Thursday by its special committee, which has made an investigation of the blot on the north shore during the past week.

The Highwood resorts, the report declares, have made Fort Sheridan, in the estimation of army officers, the worst point in point of morals in the United States, and the report informs the legislature that Brigadier General Carter has stated that the government has decided to cease all further appropriations for upbuilding Fort Sheridan until Highwood divekeepers are driven out of their business of preying on the soldiers.

The committee recommended the passage of the Apmadoc bill which will throw a prohibition zone of a mile and an eighth around all government reservations in the state, driving saloons out of a large portion of North Chicago and wiping Highwood's resorts absolutely out of existence.

The only comfort extended these saloons is a suggestion that they be given a few months' reprieve. Representatives F. R. Covey and W. T. Apmadoc are willing that they be allowed to run for the rest of the year.

The third member of the committee, Representative D. E. Gibbons, wants them given a lease of life until a year from May 1. The temper of the house was evidenced plainly when, after listening to the report, it promptly advanced the Apmadoc bill to second reading.

The friends of the bill expect to pass it through the house this week.

### TWO METHODS OF BUSINESS.

#### One Conspicuous Success and the Other a Complete Failure.

A few years ago the proprietor of a great steel file company in New England, which has several branch factories in various parts of America, altogether employing skilled workmen by the thousand, called at the office of a forwarding firm in New York, one of whose partners is a European, and asked that they suggest the proper way to introduce his files in Europe. This factory makes 7,000 varieties of files, and enjoys a great reputation throughout the mechanical world of America. The agent selected was a European, who had been Americanized, who believed in the virtues of the files he was to sell, and who was familiar with the great opportunities in industrial Europe. He went from one manufacturing town in the old world to another, and to demonstrate the superior quality of the American implement, took similar European tools and filed right through them, to the amazement of foreign mechanics and factory owners. Orders began to go to America by cable, says a writer in Appleton's Magazine. It was not long before one request reached New England from Germany for 100,000 dozen. A good salesman and superior goods had done the work. The salary of the agent was raised to \$20,000 a year and expenses, and the American file-to-day is furthering the constructive work of every mechanical center in Europe. Contrast that masterful record with the fiasco of the American who spent \$2,000 to introduce corn medicine into Japan, only to discover that the multitudes of that empire wear no shoes and consequently have no corns.

### Many Germans in Paris.

Half a century ago the number of Germans residing in Paris was 60,000.



# NEWS.

ION, Publisher.

ILLINOIS.

to gain without loss.

...n't be stuck up if you  
...ard all other people say about you.

Yet we all know souls for which  
the weight of one ounce would be a  
ridiculous exaggeration.

Maine deplors the increasing  
scarcity of lobsters. Must have been  
taxing the summer boarders too  
heavily.

A 1794 copper cent was sold for  
\$38.50 recently. After all, that is less  
than nine per cent. compound interest  
since it was coined.

Prof. Charles Henderson says the  
wealthy go from Chicago to New  
York on their way to heaven. Making  
the journey by easy stages, eh?

The war department wants a bal-  
loon which will raise a ton. Doesn't  
war raise enough gehenna without  
calling in the services of a balloon?

Count Boni having offered to com-  
mit suicide and no objection being  
heard from any quarter, according to  
parliamentary usage the motion  
stands approved.

Champagne drinking in America is  
on the wane, says a Washington dis-  
patch. And Americans can afford it  
better than ever before, too. Which  
makes us feel virtuous.

The Baltimore physician who is  
trying to convince the world that the  
wearing of hats is unhealthy will  
fall in his efforts until he provides  
something else to talk through.

Is the scientist who thinks women  
will lose their arms because they  
have no further use for them un-  
aware of the fact that the practice of  
holding hands has not become obso-  
lete?

The new Swedish minister to the  
United States, Mr. Lagercrantz, was  
at one time a worker in the Salvation  
Army. He and his wife worked for  
several years in the worst slums of  
London.

There may be more red tape than  
there has been in the digging of the  
Panama canal, now that army en-  
gineers have taken charge of the  
work, but none will be attached to  
resignations.

With England and Russia in "com-  
plete understanding" as to a Persian  
policy, Persia can save a lot of delay  
by asking for an international con-  
ference at once and getting the thing  
done with.—Detroit News.

The Havana Telegraph reports that  
the tobacco crop of the province of  
Pinar del Rio will not be 40 per cent.  
of the previous season's crop, which  
was one of the worst crops in the his-  
tory of the island. Tobacco buyers  
from Tampa and Key West, who had  
been in the island looking over the  
situation, were despondent over the  
outlook. The representative of one  
concern stated that the price of cigars  
would be increased in 1907 fully 25  
per cent.

That the young Indians at the Car-  
lisle school are making progress in  
civilization in many ways is fully in  
evidence. The school produces some  
of the best baseball and football play-  
ers in the country, and at the com-  
mencement exercises to be held a few  
days hence the Puritan opera "Pris-  
cilla" is to be given by the boys and  
girls of the institution. This is the  
first musical play ever rendered en-  
tirely by Indians, and is especially in-  
tended to indicate to visitors the ca-  
pacity of the Carlisle scholars.

A man who was officially certified  
to as having perished in a fire in  
Meriden, Conn., eight years ago, has  
just turned up in that town alive and  
well. The dead man was buried at the  
town's expense, and the returned  
wanderer was very much surprised to  
hear of himself being so disposed of.  
He had gone away in ignorance of the  
circumstances, but as he could fully  
prove his identity the truth of his  
story is verified. The tale does not  
seem to have any Enoch Arden ro-  
mance connected with it, but the facts  
go to show how easy it is to be mis-  
taken.

Two recent incidents throw light on  
the much-debated question of high-  
school societies. In one case a girls'  
society in an eastern high school de-  
cided to disband because some mem-  
bers had been admitted whose social  
position was not so exclusive as that  
of the majority of their fellows. In  
the other case a part of the initiation  
into a girls' society in a western high  
school consisted in branding the  
hands of the candidates with strong  
acid. It is interesting to note that  
these societies almost always call  
themselves "sororities," a term de-  
rived from the Latin word for sister.

If a University of Chicago professor  
had announced a discovery that the  
soul of man weighs half an ounce,  
Boston would have made exceedingly  
merry over it.

Southern American governments  
may yet be persuaded to make the  
big stick unnecessary by realizing  
that if they will be good they may be  
happy.

According to the latest cable dis-  
patches, the London papers have pub-  
lished only 72 pictures of Evelyn  
Thaw. Slow, as usual.

# STATE'S HANDS TIED

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OPINION  
OF C. & A. DEAL.

## STOCKHOLDERS MUST ACT

Commonwealth Can Revoke Charter of  
Railroad, but Result Would Be  
That Innocent Purchasers of  
Shares Would Suffer.

Springfield.—Attorney General Stead,  
after a thorough investigation of the  
"gold bricking" of purchasers of Chi-  
cago & Alton stock, has reached the  
conclusion that E. H. Harriman, George  
J. Gould, James Stillman, and Morti-  
mer L. Schiff are liable for damages  
for their manipulations, charitably  
called "financiering," of that railroad  
property. He intimates also that they  
are criminally liable and asserts that  
the charter of the road can be re-  
voked by the state. His advice, how-  
ever, is that stockholders who have  
been deceived into buying stock on  
which no dividends can be made be-  
cause of the heavy debts contracted by  
the road bring suit for damages  
against Harriman and his associates.  
The right of the state to act is made  
clear, but so also are the consequences.  
As was pointed out when the state  
first took up an investigation of Har-  
riman's manipulations of the road, Mr.  
Stead declares the state authorities  
face the certainty of bringing disaster  
to the innocent purchasers if an at-  
tempt be made to proceed civilly  
against the financiers. If the charter  
should be revoked the stockholders  
also would suffer. Mr. Stead advises  
the purchasers themselves to institute  
action on the ground that they have  
been defrauded.

## Work for Convicts.

As outlined by Trustee John H.  
Harrison of Danville, the scheme for  
rebuilding the state penitentiary, now  
at Joliet, is elaborated. It is planned  
to secure a site several miles away  
from the present location and to have  
the convicts build a railroad between  
the two points. Then, in box cars  
properly barred and guarded, chain  
gangs might be conveyed to the new  
site, where for a few years they might  
work quarrying stone for the walls  
of the new bastle, and later in build-  
ing the walls themselves. After a  
cellhouse has been built on the new  
grounds it is planned to employ the  
convicts in tearing down the present  
buildings and removing the stone and  
iron to the new site to be put togeth-  
er again. The work, it is estimated,  
would take from ten to 12 years and  
would be done at a minimum cost to  
the state, and, furthermore, would  
solve temporarily the prison labor  
problem.

## To Pass an Option Bill.

The senate will pass a local option  
bill that will be satisfactory to the  
Anti-Saloon league forces and in a  
way clarify the atmosphere on this  
vexatious question. The character of  
the bill contains an additional clause  
not noted, namely, a residence-dis-  
trict feature, similar to the bill now  
pending in the upper branch on third  
reading and sponsored by Senator  
Brown, of Ravenswood. This stipu-  
lates that a majority petition of resi-  
dents in a certain prescribed territory  
against saloons shall be prima facie  
evidence that the mayor and city  
council shall not allow a saloon license  
to issue. The rest of the bill is the  
anti-saloon measure as originally  
amended in the house with the pre-  
dict, ward and cofeatures eliminated.

## Plan to Remove Joliet Prison.

A subcommittee of the house orga-  
nization on penal and reformatory in-  
stitutions will visit the Joliet peni-  
tentiary with a view of passing upon  
the feasibility of removing it to anoth-  
er site and the erection of new struc-  
tures. Sentiment in favor of a new  
prison that will be sanitary and of  
modern architecture has grown here  
until it is now predicted that the leg-  
islature will pass an appropriation  
sufficiently large to enable the carry-  
ing out of this plan.

## Tribute to Justice Wilkin.

Resolutions warmly eulogistic of the  
character and public service of the  
late Justice Wilkin of the state su-  
preme court were introduced in the  
house by Representative Charles  
Allen, a life-long friend of the dead  
justice, and adopted by the house.  
The house as a further mark of re-  
spect, adjourned. Speaker Shurtliff  
appointed a committee consisting of  
four members to represent the house  
at the funeral of Justice Wilkin at  
Danville.

## Chilperfield Bill Doomed.

The Chilperfield convict labor bill is  
in the hands of a subcommittee which  
is expected to garrote it neatly and  
with expedition. The measure is op-  
posed by the state board of prison in-  
dustries.

## Must Attend to Business.

Speaker Shurtliff served notice  
that the house must give attention to  
business and hold regular sessions at  
least four days in the week hereafter.  
Last week the speaker warned the  
members that real business would be  
on the calendar. In spite of the warn-  
ing so many went home that there  
was not a quorum Friday. The speak-  
er did not relish the prospect, and his  
patience was tried further by the  
tendency of the members who did  
stay to object to second reading and  
advancement of bills on the calendar.

## "Highwood's Dives Must Go.

The notorious dives of Highwood are  
doomed in a report presented to the  
house by its special committee which  
has made an investigation. The High-  
wood resorts, the report declares, have  
made Fort Sheridan in the estimation  
of army officers, "the worst post in  
point of morals in the United States."  
The report informs the legislature that  
Brig. Gen. Carter asserted the govern-  
ment has decided to cease all further  
appropriations for the upbuilding of  
Fort Sheridan until Highwood's dive-  
keepers are driven out of their busi-  
ness of preying on the soldiers.

The committee recommends the pas-  
sage of the ApMadoc bill, which will  
throw a prohibition zone of a mile and  
one-eighth around all government res-  
ervations in the state, driving saloons  
out of a large portion of North Chi-  
cago and wiping Highwood's resorts  
absolutely out of existence.

## Action on State Merit Bill.

The bill of the civil service commis-  
sion, amending the state civil service  
law to admit of a wider latitude in the  
field of examinations, providing pro-  
motions in the commission, and giv-  
ing the commission power of removal  
"whenever it will promote the effi-  
ciency of the service," after serving  
notice and written specifications, was  
acted upon favorably by the senate  
committee on civil service and report-  
ed into that body by Chairman Mc-  
Kenzie. The clause throwing open the  
examination for certain offices to all  
citizens of the United States was  
stricken out and the examinations  
limited to those living within the  
state. The paragraph requiring that  
applications for examinations be made  
under oath was also stricken out. The  
salary of the chief examiner (Secre-  
tary Joseph Mason) is fixed at \$3,500.

## Province Answers Phillips.

In reply to the statement issued by  
I. N. Phillips, reporter of the Illinois  
supreme court, in the Official Report-  
er of March 20, 1907, in which it set  
out objections to the publication of  
reports of the supreme court by the  
state, Representative Province, author  
of house bills 124 and 125, now in the  
hands of the senate committee on ap-  
propriations, has issued a statement  
in which he answers the court report-  
er. Mr. Province contends that in his  
argument the court reporter has re-  
sorted to misstatements of facts, and  
he produces letters from various  
sources in support of this statement.

## Will Push Legislation.

The assembly reconvened after a  
recess over the municipal election in  
Chicago, and is ready for the real busi-  
ness of the session. From now on un-  
til the end the legislative wheel will  
grind rapidly.

The election of Fred A. Busse as  
Chicago's first four-year mayor assures  
the success of most of the Chicago leg-  
islation pending. There is much work  
to be done and the session may last  
six weeks more, or longer, but before  
adjournment it is certain that Chicago  
will have a new charter granting  
wider powers and providing for vaster  
possibilities.

## Would Have Commission Elected.

Election of members of the railroad  
and warehouse commission by popular  
vote, instead of being appointed by  
the governor, is provided in a bill of-  
fered by Mr. Dunlap, of Champaign.  
A two-year term is fixed for the first  
election and thereafter the three  
members of the board are to be elect-  
ed for four years. Mr. Dunlap offered  
a similar measure last session, but  
did not press it because he said it  
might embarrass the governor. He  
asserts it cannot be looked upon in  
this light now.

## Two Street Car Bills Pass.

Two street car bills passed the  
house. One provides that street car  
men shall not be compelled to work  
more than ten hours and that all their  
working time must fall within 12 con-  
secutive hours. The other makes ob-  
ligatory steel fenders and air brakes  
on all cars, provides for vestibules  
and prohibits running boards on open  
cars and declares interurban street  
cars shall be equipped with toilet  
rooms and tanks of drinking water.  
This last act is to go into effect Jan-  
uary 1, 1908.

## Reform Measure by McKenzie.

A reform measure introduced by  
Mr. McKenzie seeks the creation of  
an official whose duty it shall be to  
visit county almshouses and jails.  
The bill is backed by the state board  
of charities and if enacted into law,  
would give a system of state inspec-  
tion which it is contended would have  
a moral effect not attained under the  
present plan of local inspection of  
almshouses and county jails. Mr. Mc-  
Kenzie declares there is merit in the  
bill.

## Would Amend Torrens Act.

Mr. Juul introduced a bill amend-  
ing the Torrens act, so as to make  
the county responsible for all acts of  
the registrar in connection with regis-  
tration of title. He also presented a  
bill providing that all counties in the  
state may go in the abstract-making  
business.

## Recorder Davis' Plea Heard.

Abel Davis, recorder of Cook county,  
appeared before the house committee  
on judicial department and practice  
and laid before that body a bill pre-  
pared by himself and offered as a sub-  
stitute for house bills 497 and 339.  
The committee favored Mr. Davis' bill,  
and it will be favorably reported out  
to the house as a substitute. The bill  
provides that county recorders may  
make abstracts, and in Cook county  
\$1,000,000 indemnity fund is provided  
for to insure the correctness of ab-  
stracts.

## CARAVANS OF THE DESERT.

Gold Hunters and Consumptives Found  
Traveling Side by Side.

Ever journeying across the desert  
sands and climbing the arid peaks and  
foothills of the far southwest are two  
caravans—one seemingly rugged and  
healthy, though afflicted with a dis-  
ease called goldomania, the other em-  
aciated by the great white plague.

One is scarcely more optimistic  
than the other; one procession seeks a  
glittering yellow dust that means  
riches, the other a more precious thing  
—health. Though the trail may be blis-  
tering and the water holes infrequent;  
though the desert sun may be blister-  
ing and the tongue swollen with thirst;  
though the mountains may be steep  
and the path strewn with cacti, there  
is the glittering substance in the sand  
a little farther on for the argonaut;  
a lease of life at the horizon, when the  
red desert sun announces the dawn of  
another day, for the white plague's  
victim.

To many seeking their wanted vigor  
the hope that ever carries them on-  
ward is sometimes as futile as the  
race after the will-o'-the-wisp that lures  
the argonaut.

But the procession moves on and  
on; the pilgrims can not leave the  
sands until the mountain air and sun-  
shine have healed the scars made by  
death's chief ally.

The main trail of the weak-lunged  
leads from Pecos to Yuma. For more  
than 1,000 miles prospector and plague-  
ridden traverse its tortuous course.  
In the caravan seeking gold nearly all  
are poor. In the caravan exiled and  
fighting for health there are rich and  
poor, high and low, democratic and  
fraternal in their ills and expectancy.

To some this hope is as uncertain of  
realization as the prospector's pot of  
gold at the end of the rainbow. But  
many who have early joined the pil-  
grims, after years of travel by day un-  
der the scorching sun and sleep by  
night in the pure air of the mountain  
top, end their allotted exile and return  
to the old home 1,000 or more miles  
distant.

But the ranks are soon recruited.  
And some there are who must travel  
along the great highway until the end.  
Often times the bones of prospector  
and plague-ridden are found bleaching  
in the canyon. The skeleton hand of  
one is outstretched up the hillside,  
where others reach the goal—and  
gold; the bony fingers of the other  
point home.

## Quick Thought Saved Ship.

The Russian war frigate Olaf, prior  
to the outbreak of the war with Japan,  
which had accompanied the yacht of  
the czarowitz to Copenhagen, was  
lying at anchor among hundreds of  
other ships in the harbor, when a fire  
was discovered in a coal cellar below,  
which was only a few feet from the  
powder magazine. There was no time  
to put out the fire before it could reach  
the magazine, and an explosion of the  
large stores of cartridges and gunpow-  
der contained in it probably would  
have destroyed not only the Olaf and  
the surrounding ships, but part of  
Copenhagen itself.

Capt. Reblinder, the commander of  
the Olaf, saw at once that the only  
thing to be done to prevent a cata-  
strophe was to sink the ship. After  
sending away the crew, with the ship's  
papers, cash boxes and most valuable  
instruments in boats, he ordered the  
carpenters and engineers to make a  
leak in the vessel, and half an hour  
afterward she sank in shallow water.

Next day she was raised again and  
sent off for repairs.  
The court-martial unanimously ex-  
pressed the highest praise of the con-  
duct of the captain and his subordi-  
nates. The emperor appointed him his  
aide-de-camp, which is one of the high-  
est honors conferred on Russian naval  
officers, and the officers and men re-  
ceived gratuities from the emperor's  
privy purse.—Sunday Magazine.

## Nervous Bridegrooms.

"Bridegrooms are sometimes nerv-  
ous; brides never," said the clergy-  
man.

"A young butcher during his wed-  
ding ceremony got horribly tangled up  
with an unlighted cigar. He found  
himself, in his nervousness, with the  
cigar in his left hand when the sol-  
emn rite began. To put the ring on  
the bride's finger he hurriedly trans-  
ferred the cigar to his right hand.  
When the right hand came into play,  
in his confusion he stuck the cigar in  
his mouth. With both hands occupied  
he looked at me helplessly when next  
he had to speak. I took the cigar  
from his pale lips and put it in his  
pocket for him."

"One young man was so nervous  
when I married him that, instead of  
saying: 'I, John, take thee, Mary, to  
be my lawful wedded wife,' he said,  
loud enough to be heard all over the  
church: 'I, Mary, take thee, John, to  
be my lawful wedded wife.'"

## Anxious to Oblige.

The manager of a telephone ex-  
change recently gave employment as  
an operator to a young woman whose  
previous employment had been in a  
department store. The girl seemed  
so bright and willing and possessed  
such a clear and distinct voice that  
the manager resolved to give her a  
trial.

The newcomer, who was all amia-  
bility and willingness, rapidly learned her  
new duties, but one day an incident  
occurred that betrayed her depart-  
ment store training.

In answer to a ring she had asked  
sweetly: "Number, please?"  
"Let me have 325," said the patron.  
"I am sorry that 325 is busy just  
now," said the girl, "but I can let you  
have 323 or 328."

# Illinois State News

Recent Happenings of Interest in the Various Cities  
and Towns.

## BANKERS MEET IN CONVENTION.

Financial Men of Many Counties at  
Jacksonville.

Jacksonville.—Group No. 8 of the  
bankers of Illinois, including the coun-  
ties of Adams, Hancock, Brown,  
Schuyler, Cass, Morgan, Scott, Greene,  
Jersey, Calhoun, Pike and Menard,  
held their first annual convention in  
this city. There were 100 bankers  
present and the meeting was one of  
much importance.

The following were the officers  
elected for the coming year: Perma-  
nent chairman, E. J. Parker, cashier  
State Saving, Loan & Trust company  
of Quincy; permanent secretary and  
treasurer, S. H. Rule, cashier First  
National bank, Petersburg; member  
of executive council from Adams  
county, Arthur E. Gay, Camp Point  
bank, Camp Point; Brown county, F.  
W. Crane, cashier First National  
bank, Mt. Sterling; Hancock county,  
J. C. Ferris, president of Hancock Na-  
tional bank, Carthage; Schuyler coun-  
ty, George Dyson, vice president of  
Bank of Schuyler County, Rushville;  
Cass county, W. K. Mutz, State Bank  
of Chandierville; Morgan county, J.  
A. Ayers, president of Ayers' National  
bank, Scott county, C. H. Condit,  
cashier, Neat, Condit & Grout, Win-  
chester; Greene county, C. R. Shef-  
field, cashier of Tersey State bank,  
Jerseyville; Calhoun county, E. E.  
Williams, cashier of Bank of Calhoun  
County, Hardin; Pike county, F. H.  
Farrand, cashier of Illinois Valley  
bank, of Griggsville; Menard county,  
E. H. Brumsman, cashier H. H. Mar-  
both & Co, Greenville.

The time and place of the next  
meeting was left to the executive  
committees.

## WALSH TRIAL OCTOBER 15.

Banker Pleads Not Guilty to Federal  
Indictment.

Chicago.—John R. Walsh, through  
his chief counsel, John S. Miller,  
pleaded not guilty to the federal in-  
dictment charging him with the mis-  
application of funds in the Chicago  
National bank when he appeared be-  
fore United States District Judge A.  
R. Anderson.

Although District Attorney Sims  
had hoped to bring the banker to  
trial at an early date, Judge Ander-  
son, after hearing the requests for ex-  
tension by Attorney Miller, decided to  
set the case for trial for October 15.  
Judge Anderson refused to grant the  
motion for a bill of particulars, as  
filed. The first motion had been with-  
drawn and a new one presented.

## Kent Asks for Pardon.

Carlinville.—Willie Kent, of Carlin-  
ville, serving sentence in the Chester  
penitentiary for the murder of his  
brother, Noble Kent, has again peti-  
tioned for a pardon. Kent has had  
several hearings, but a pardon has  
been denied. He murdered his brother  
on board a Chicago & Alton train near  
Girard seven years ago. At the time  
of the killing, Noble Kent was hand-  
cuffed and shackled. He had been ar-  
rested in Springfield for an alleged  
assault on Willie Kent, and was en-  
route to Carlinville for trial when he  
was shot.

## Asked Layman for Funeral.

Havana.—Josiah Hartzel, aged 71  
years, one of the best known men in  
central Illinois, died here. He was  
for four terms sheriff of Mason coun-  
ty and for two terms justice of the  
peace. A peculiar request to have his  
funeral services in the county court  
house and to have C. E. Walsh, cir-  
cuit clerk, or M. Bolan, former super-  
intendent of schools, now editor of the  
Democrat, speak at the services, in-  
stead of a minister, was made by Mr.  
Hartzel some time ago. The request  
was carried out.

## Get Options on Land.

Medora.—Leases on 10,000 acres of  
land in Shipman township, Macoupin  
county, are being taken by the West-  
ern Illinois Gas & Oil company of St.  
Louis. Eight thousand acres have  
been secured and the remaining num-  
ber, it is believed, will be secured in  
a few days. The purpose of the com-  
pany is to prospect for gas and oil,  
which are believed to underlie the  
land.

## Speedy Trial Promised.

Chicago.—Frank Constantine, under  
arrest in Brooklyn, charged with kill-  
ing Mrs. Arthur W. Gentry in her  
home in January, 1906, will be brought  
back to Chicago and will be given a  
speedy trial in order that justice may  
be meted out for the appalling crime  
which he is said to have confessed.

## Many Candidates for Judge.

Danville.—A number of candidates  
are spoken of to fill the vacancy on  
the supreme bench occasioned by the  
death of Justice Jacob Wilkin. Gov.  
Deneen probably will issue a call for  
a special election in a short time.

## Lincoln Druggist Fined.

Lincoln.—George Knochel, a local  
druggist, entered a plea of guilty to  
the charge of practicing medicine  
without a license. The penalty is  
\$100, which was paid by Mr. Knochel,  
in addition to the costs.

## JUSTICE J. W. WILKIN DEAD.

Bright's Disease Fatal to Illinois Su-  
preme Court Member.

Danville.—Justice Jacob W. Wilkin  
of the Illinois supreme court died  
from acute Bright's disease after an  
illness of two weeks.

Judge Wilkin was born in Licking  
county, Ohio, June 7, 1837. His par-  
ents moved to Crawford county, Illi-  
nois, when he was eight years of age,  
and his boyhood days were spent on  
the farm. He was educated at Mc-  
Kendree college.

In June, 1862, he enlisted in the  
One Hundred and Thirtieth Illinois  
volunteer infantry and served  
throughout the war. His devotion to  
the cause and personal bravery won  
for him the rank of major, which title  
he held when mustered out of the  
service at New Orleans in 1865. Im-  
mediately after the war young Wilkin  
studied law at Marshall, in the office  
of Judge Schofield, afterward a jus-  
tice of the supreme court. He was  
a partner of the latter for five years  
and later served with him on the su-  
preme bench.

He was elected judge of the fourth  
circuit in 1879, was reelected in 1885,  
and moved to Danville soon after-  
ward. Judge Wilkin was then as-  
signed to duty on the bench in the  
appellate court of the fourth district,  
where he served until 1888, when he  
was elected to the supreme bench to  
succeed Justice Scott.

Judge Wilkin served as chief jus-  
tice of the supreme court and wrote  
a few very profound decisions which  
are known to the legal profession in  
this and other states. He was a Re-  
publican and in 1872 was one of the  
electors who voted for Gen. Grant.

## WANT EVIDENCE FROM TATE.

Peoria Officials Will Go Slow in the  
"Graft" Cases.

Peoria.—Eddie Tate, of Chicago, who  
is being held in Peoria for the blowing  
of the school board safe and theft of  
papers incriminating former Superin-  
tendent of Schools N. C. Dougherty, is  
seriously ill at St. Francis' hospital.  
Fearing that he may grow worse and  
be unable ever to unravel the mystery,  
the police and state officials have in-  
duced him to make a partial confes-  
sion, which is said to incriminate  
prominent Peorians alleged to have  
engineered the theft of the papers.

Chief of Police Wilson and State's  
Attorney Scholes have been working  
on the case for several weeks, and ex-  
pect to be able to prove a damaging  
amount of evidence within a short  
time. Tate has confessed that he was  
given \$3,000 by attorneys representing  
prominent Peorians, but the officers  
want to get further evidence before  
they cause any arrests to be made.

## McReynolds Out of Jail.

Springfield.—On a writ of superse-  
as, granted by the Illinois supreme  
court, George S. McReynolds, who was  
found guilty of fraud in connection  
with his operations on the board of  
trade, was released from the Chicago  
county jail on bonds of \$10,000. The  
defendant was found guilty last Janu-  
ary on a charge of having removed  
grain from his warehouse without per-  
mission of the holders of the ware-  
house receipts.

Last week he was sentenced by  
Judge Maguire to the penitentiary for a  
term of from one to ten years.

## Kerrick Estate Large.

Bloomington.—The inventory of the  
property belonging to the estate of  
the late Leonidas H. Kerrick has been  
received by the court and approved.  
The executor, Charles H. Ewing, asked  
for an order to sell personal prop-  
erty, which order was given. The es-  
tate of Mr. Kerrick includes, as has  
been before stated, real estate to the  
value of \$45,000 and





# THE DELUGE

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## CHAPTER XX.—Continued.

"If anything disagreeable should be said or done this evening here," she said, "I want you to promise me that you'll restrain yourself, and not say or do any of those things that make me—that jar on me. You understand?"

"I am always myself," replied I. "I can't be anybody else."

"But you are—several different kinds of self," she insisted. "And please—this evening don't be that kind. It's coming into your eyes and chin now."

I had lifted my head and looked round, probably much like the leader of a horned herd at the scent of danger.

"Is this better?" said I, trying to look the thoughts I had no difficulty in getting to the fore whenever my eyes were on her.

Her smile rewarded me. But it disappeared, gave place to a look of nervous alarm, of terror even, at the rustling, or, rather, bustling, of skirts in the hall—there was war in the very sound, and I felt it. Mrs. Ellersly appeared, bearing her husband as a dejected trailer invisibly but firmly coupled. She acknowledged my salutation with a stiff-necked nod, ignored my extended hand. I saw that she wished to impress upon me that she was a very grand lady indeed; but, while my ideas of what constitutes a lady were at that time somewhat fogged by my snobbishness, she failed dismally. She looked just what she was—a mean, bad-tempered woman, in a towering rage.

"You have forced me, Mr. Blacklock," said she, and then I knew for just what purpose that voice of hers was best adapted—"to say to you what I should have preferred to write. Mr. Ellersly has had brought to his ears matters in connection with your private life that make it imperative that you discontinue your calls here."

"My private life, ma'am?" I repeated. "I was not aware that I had a private life."

"Anita, leave us alone with Mr. Blacklock," commanded her mother. The girl hesitated, bent her head, and with a cowed look went slowly toward the door. There she paused, and, with what seemed a great effort, lifted her head and gazed at me. How I ever came rightly to interpret her look I don't know, but I said: "Miss Ellersly, I've the right to insist that you stay." I saw she was going to obey me, and before Mrs. Ellersly could repeat her order I said: "Now, madam, if any one accuses me of having done anything that would cause you to exclude a man from your house, I am ready for the liar and his lie."

As I spoke I was searching the weak, bad old face of her husband for an explanation. Their pretense of outraged morality I rejected at once—it was absurd. Neither up town nor down, nor anywhere else, had I done anything that any one could regard as a breach of the code of a man of the world. Then, reasoned I, they must have found some one else to help them out of their financial troubles—some one who, perhaps, has made this insult to me the price, or part of the price, of his generosity. Who? Who hates me? In instant answer, up before my mind flashed a picture of Tom Langdon and Sam Ellersly arm in arm entering Lewis' office. Tom Langdon wishes to marry her; and her parents wish it, too; he is the man she was confessing to me about—these were my swift conclusions.

"We do not care to discuss the matter, sir," Mrs. Ellersly was replying, her tone indicating that it was not fit to discuss. And this was the woman I had hardly been able to treat civilly, so nauseating were her fawnings and flatterings!

"So!" I said, ignoring her and opening my batteries full upon the old man. "You are taking orders from Mowbray Langdon. Why?"

As I spoke, I was conscious that there had been some change in Anita. I looked at her. With startled eyes and lips apart, she was advancing toward me.

"Anita, leave the room!" cried Mrs. Ellersly harshly, panic under the command in her tones.

I felt rather than saw my advantage, and pressed it.

"You see what they are doing, Miss Ellersly," said I.

She passed her hand over her eyes, let her face appear again. In it there was an energy of repulsion that ought to have seemed exaggerated to me then, knowing really nothing of the true situation. "I understand now!" said she. "Oh—it is—loathsome!" And her eyes blazed upon her mother.

"Loathsome," I echoed, dashing at my opportunity. "If you are not merely a chattel and a decoy, if there is any womanhood, any self-respect in you, you will keep faith with me."

"Anita!" cried Mrs. Ellersly. "Go to your room!"

I had, once or twice before, heard a tone as repulsive—a female diva-keeper hectoring her wretched white slaves. I looked at Anita. I expected

ed to see her erect, defiant. Instead, she was again wearing that cowed look.

"Don't judge me too harshly," she said pleadingly to me. "I know what is right and decent—God planted that too deep in me for them to be able to uproot it. But—oh, they have broken my will! They have broken my will! They have made me a coward, a thing!" And she hid her face in her hands and sobbed.

Mrs. Ellersly was about to speak. I could not offer better proof of my own strength of will than the fact that I, with a look and a gesture, put her down. Then I said to the girl:

"You must choose now! Woman or thing—which shall it be? If it is woman, then you have me behind you and in front of you and around you. If it is thing—God have mercy on you! Your self-respect, your pride are gone—for ever. You will be like the carpet under his feet to the man whose creature you become."

She came and stood by me, with her back to them.

"If you will take me with you now," she said, "I will go. If I delay, I am lost. I shall not have the courage. And I am sick, sick to death of this life here, of this hideous wait for the highest bidder."



"I GENTLY URGED HER FORWARD."

Her voice gained strength and her manner courage as she spoke; at the end she was meeting her mother's gaze without flinching. My eyes had followed hers, and my look was taking in both her mother and her father. I had long since measured them, yet I could scarcely credit the confirmation of my judgment. Had life been smooth and comfortable for that old couple, as it was for most of their acquaintances and friends, they would have lived and died regarding themselves, and regarded, as well-bred, kindly people, of the finest instincts and tastes. But calamity was putting to the test the system on which they had molded their apparently elegant, graceful lives. The storm had ripped off the attractive covering; the framework, the reality of that system, was revealed, naked and frightful.

"Anita, go to your room!" almost screamed the old woman, her fury tearing away the last shreds of her cloak of manners.

"Your daughter is of age, madam," said I. "She will go where she pleases. And I warn you that you are deceived by the Langdons. I am not powerless, and—here I let her have a full look into my red-hot furnace of wrath—I stop at nothing in pursuing those who oppose me—at nothing!"

Anita, staring at her mother's awful face, was shrinking and trembling as if before the wicked, pale-yellow eyes and quivering, outstretched tentacles of a devil-fish. Clinging to my arm, she let me guide her to the door. Her mother recovered speech. "Anita!" she cried. "What are you doing? Are you mad?"

"I think I must be out of my mind," said Anita. "But, if you try to keep me here, I shall tell him all—all."

Her voice suggested that she was about to go into hysterics. I gently urged her forward. There was some sort of woman's wrap in the hall. I put it around her. Before she—or I—realized it, she was in my waiting electric.

"Up town," I said to my man. She tried to get out.

"Oh, what have I done! What am I doing!" she cried, her courage oozing away. "Let me out—please!"

"You are going with me," said I, entering and closing the door. I saw the door of the Ellersly mansion opening, saw old Ellersly, bareheaded and distracted, scuttling down the steps. "Go ahead—fast!" I called to my man.

And the electric was rushing up the avenue, with the bell ringing for crossings incessantly. She huddled away from me into the corner of the seat, sobbing hysterically. I knew that to touch her would be fatal—or to speak. So I waited.

XXI.

MOST UNGENTLEMANLY.

As we neared the upper end of the park, I told my chauffeur, through the tube, to enter and go slowly. Whenever a lamp flashed in at us, I had a glimpse of her progress toward composure—now she was drying her eyes with the bit of lace she called a handkerchief; now her bare arms were up and with graceful fingers she was arranging her hair; now she was straight and still, and soft, fluffy material with which her wrap was edged drawn close about her throat. I shifted to the opposite seat, for my nerves warned me that I could not long control myself, if I stayed on where her garments were touching me.

I looked away from her for the pleasure of looking at her again, of realizing that my overwrought senses were not cheating me. Yes, there she was, in all the luster of that magnetic beauty I can not think of even now

saw. At any rate, her voice tried to be friendly as she said: "Well—I have crossed the Rubicon. And I don't regret. It was silly of me to cry. I thought I had been through so much that I was beyond such weakness. But you will find me calm from now on and reasonable."

"Not too reasonable, please," said I, with an attempt at her lightness. "A reasonable woman is as trying as an unreasonable man."

"But we are going to be, sensible with each other," she urged, "like two friends. Aren't we?"

"We are going to be what we are going to be," said I. "We'll have to take life as it comes."

That clumsy reminder set her to thinking, stirred her vague uneasiness in those strange circumstances to active alarm. For presently she said, in a tone that was not so matter-of-course as she had tried to make it: "We'll go now to my Uncle Frank's. He's a brother of my father's. I always used to like him best—and still do. But he married a woman mamma thought—queer. They hadn't much, so he lives away up on the West Side—One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street."

"The wise plan, the only wise plan," said I, not so calm as she must have thought me, "is to go to my partner's house and send for a minister."

"Not to-night," she replied nervously. "Take me to Uncle Frank's, and to-morrow we can discuss what to do and how to do it."

"To-night," I persisted. "We must be married to-night. No more uncertainty and indecision and weakness. Let us begin bravely, Anita."

"To-morrow," she said. "But not to-night. I must think it over."

"To-night," I repeated. "To-morrow will be full of its own problems. This is to-night's."

She shook her head, and I saw that the struggle between us had begun—the struggle against her timidity and conventionality. "No, not to-night." This in her tone for finality.

To argue with any woman in such circumstances would be dangerous; to argue with her would have been fatal. To reason with a woman is to flatter her into suspecting you of weakness and herself of strength. I told the chauffeur to turn about and go slowly up town. She settled back into her corner of the brougham. Neither of us spoke until we were passing Grant's tomb. Then she started out of her secure confidence in my obedience, and exclaimed: "This is not the way!" And her voice had in it the hasty call-to-arms.

"No," I replied, determined to push the panic into a rout. "As I told you, our future shall be settled to-night." That in my tone for finality.

A pause, then: "It has been settled," she said, like a child that feels, yet denies, its impotence as it struggles in the compelling arms of its father. "I thought until a few minutes ago that I really intended to marry you. Now I see that I didn't."

"Another reason why we're not going to your uncle's," said I.

She leaned forward so that I could see her face. "I can not marry you," she said. "I feel humble toward you, for having misled you. But it is better that you—and I—should have found out now than too late."

"It is too late—too late to go back."

"Would you wish to marry a woman who does not love you, who loves some one else, and who tells you so and refuses to marry you?" She had tried to concentrate enough scorn into her voice to hide her fear.

"I would," said I. "And I shall. I'll not desert you, Anita, when your courage and strength shall fail. I will carry you on to safety."

"I tell you I can not marry you," she cried, between appeal and command. "There are reasons—I may not tell you. But if I might, you would—would take me to my uncle's. I can not marry you!"

"That is what conventionality bids you say now," I replied. And then I gathered myself together and in a tone that made me hate myself as I heard it, I added slowly, each word sharp and distinct: "But what will conventionality bid you say to-morrow morning, as we drive down crowded Fifth avenue, after a night in this brougham?"

I could not see her, for she fell back into the darkness as sharply as if I had struck her with all my force full in the face. But I could feel the effect of my words upon her.

Full fifteen minutes of that frightful silence before she said: "I will go where you wish." And she said it in a tone that makes me wince as I recall it.

I called my partner's address up through the tube. Again that frightful silence, then she was trying to choke back the sobs. A few words I caught: "They have broken my will—they have broken my will."

My partner lived in a big, gray-stone house that stood apart and commanded a noble view of the Hudson and the Palisades. It was, in the main, a reproduction of a French chateau, and such changes as the architect had made in his model were not positively disfiguring, though amusing.

(To be Continued.)

Cross-Eyed Chauffeur.  
"Does he really think it's bad luck to meet a cross-eyed person?" How ridiculous!

"Well, there's some excuse for him. The last cross-eyed person he saw was running an automobile, and he got in the road of it."

Consumption of Water.  
Where London consumes 90,000,000 gallons of water a day, New York consumes 500,000,000. Where London has an area of 118 square miles, New York has 326.



# MATTERS FEMININE.

## APRONS IN FASHION

WOMEN RETURN TO WEAR OF PRETTY GARMENT.

With the Many Embroidery Stitches in Vogue It is Easy to Have a Number in the Different Designs.

Have you got the "apron" habit? Women are now wondering why such dainty and useful adjuncts as aprons were ever discarded. To-day the wearing of these attractive little protectors has developed into a sort of fad, but one we hope that is destined to remain, if for no other reason



than to impart a becoming air of domesticity to the wearer.

If you happen to call very informally upon a friend, taking her unawares, ten chances to one that she will have on a most enviable little bit of muslin and lace, just a mere handful of beauty.

With the hundred and one embroidery stitches in vogue it is possible

to have a number made over entirely different designs.

On account of its extreme simplicity shadow embroidery has become a great favorite as a decoration for aprons.

A very attractive little apron, the only one of its kind I have seen, was fashioned of pale pink batiste embroidered in an endearing wreath of daisies done in white. The edge was scalloped and edged with Valenciennes lace.

Colored mercerized cottons are also used on white grounds. A pretty one was embroidered in golden-hued chrysanthemums with green leaves. The all-white apron, however, is sometimes preferred.

French or padded embroidery makes a very charming decoration, especially when combined with eyelet work.

Venetian cut-out lattice work on heavy linen makes a substantial looking apron, especially when the lattice effects are taken up well into the body of the work, or used as borders.

Something unique is an apron of white cotton voile embroidery in an antique cross pattern. Russian drawn work on linen and Russian cross stitch, too, offering possibilities for the needlewoman.

Peasant aprons are extremely fashionable.

When a woman has neither the time nor inclination to hand-embroider an apron she may fashion the most enviable little affairs from remnants of dress goods, flowered dimities, organdies, polka dotted or embroidered swisses, batistes, linens, china silks, pongee or even taffeta.

The sketch may be fashioned of sheer or heavy material, decorated with Mechlin, Valenciennes or linen Torchon, a lace, by the way, that proves its durability for all tubable things.

The place cards were tied to the handles of diminutive doll parasols in pink, white and blue, and under each umbrella was a wee doll clad in a mackintosh, and there were also little baskets of wood violets at each plate.

Birth Month Flowers.

Here is the list of birth month flowers and their significance that is requested by a correspondent:

January—Snowdrop, meaning consolation.  
February—Primrose, the freshness of early youth.  
March—Violet, modesty.  
April—Daisy, innocence.  
May—Hawthorne, hope.  
June—Wiedrose, simplicity.  
July—Lily, purity.  
August—Pony, the consolation of sleep.  
September—Golden Rod, stastfulness; or, morning glory, contentment.  
October—Hop vine, signifying joy.  
November—Chrysanthemum, cheerfulness.  
December—Holly, foresight and protection.

A Bean Social.

To the young people who have fairly besieged Madame Merri for new ideas for socials this should be of interest and not expensive, for that is what all the letters say these affairs must not be.

On brown paper, written in white ink, say: "Have you ever 'bean' to a 'Bean Social'? If not, come to the one at the Pine street parish house on April 10, Wednesday night. If you have not 'bean' and if you have 'bean' you will enjoy the

"Bean porridge hot,  
Bean porridge cold,  
Bean porridge in the pot,  
Nine days old."

Serve baked beans, bean soup, brown bread, pickles, molasses candy, tea and gingerbread. A bean-bag contest should go with this affair. Make a board with three different sized holes, invert and throw the bags into the holes. The largest hole counts 20, the next 15, next 10. Have 10 bags, keep score and award a bag of beans.

MADAM MERRI.

FOR THE WARM WEATHER.

Appropriate Linen Costumes Must Be Provided in Time.

For warmer weather one will need a linen costume or two, one with a swaggy little coat hung loose from the shoulders and with a triple circular skirt swinging prettily from the hips. This of blue, violet, dull pink or the new paper color. All of these, with the exception, perhaps, of pale blue, wash nicely.

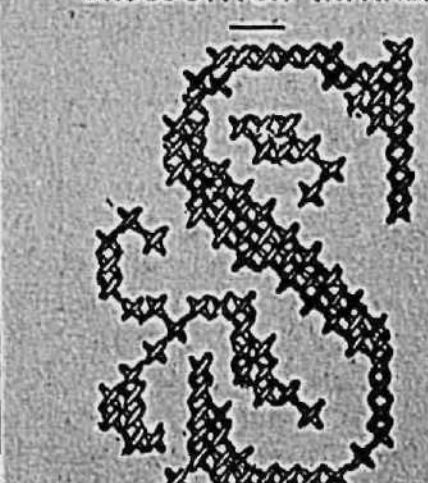
A severe linen is always nice, and one can wear with it cuffs of black velvet or of embroidered linen.

For still warmer weather, one needs some simple wash frocks of muslin, and it all depends upon where one means to spend the summer, and what sort of a laundress one looks forward to, whether these may be trimmed elaborately or not. Anyway, they must be made a la princesse, with narrow laces or embroideries forming the waistline.

Little pin-striped glaghams or percales really simply made are correct and smart for mornings, and lingerie blouses with white wash skirts are as pretty as possible. If they are quite fresh—and they lose all their undoubted charm if they are not—nothing is nicer than this combination.

The white skirts ought to be made at home, for not only will they cost less, so that one may have more of

## CROSS-STITCH INITIAL.



Here is another letter of the cross-stitch alphabet, suitable for marking household linen, blankets, etc., with Ingrain cotton, Peri Lusta, etc.

Mound of Walrus Tusks.

A mound of walrus' tusks was recently unearthed by railroad engineers in California.



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EDITORIAL NOTES.  
That sound like a vacuum out Wisconsin way is Senator LaFollette weeping over Senator Spooner's resignation.  
In justice to the several families involved, the state of New York might fumigate the Thaw jurors before it sends them home.  
Uncle Joe Cannon reports that the only fault he has to find with the Canal Zone is that its quarantine system works too well.

We do not know what grave error President Roosevelt may have committed, but the railroad comments are all ominously favorable.

What Senator Foraker would like to establish is that the men who shot up Brownsville are not as black as they have been painted.

If the railroads are not careful, some of the state legislatures may get out injunctions against their discontinuing their improvements.

Stuyvesant Fish said all the worst things he could think of and then expressed surprise that people should imagine he was alluding to Mr. Harriman.

Secretary Taft says he expects to live to see congress pass a Philippine free trade bill. The Secretary evidently thinks he is a pretty good insurance risk.

Dispatches announce that Missouri is to have an extraordinary session of the legislature. When Missouri has any other sort it will be time to sit up and take notice.

Senator Stone of Missouri says we ought to give the Philippines to Japan. This is the first pronounced evidence the senator has ever given of anti-Japanese tendencies.

It is just possible that the Post office might debar the free seed division of the Agricultural Department from the use of the mails on the ground of it being a lottery enterprise. It is rare luck for those seeds to sprout.

Lewis Nixon says there is no reason why the Atlantic should not be crossed at express train speed. But it is to be hoped for the sake of the passengers that nobody will attempt to establish a black signal system on the route.

One very serious question that arises in connection with the physical situations of the railroads by the government is whether or not they shall be given in the valuation the benefit of the unearned increment. This is a matter that is being seriously considered by the Interstate Commerce Commission though it has not yet said how its decision will go. But the case was brought up sharply in the recent investigation of the Hill lines, where the actual and careful valuation of the property including terminals and right of way at the price of surrounding property footed up a total of about \$390,000,000 while the officials of the road themselves confessed that the actual investment was not quite a tenth of that amount. The same question would arise in determining the valuation of a land grant road as compared with a road built entirely by private purchase. The Interstate Commerce Commission expresses a wish to be perfectly both to the roads and to the public when the question is finally settled, but it will be very hard to do complete justice to both sides. As appears at first glance, the real value of the road, and the amount of money put into it are two very different things. Of course there is a compromise line somewhere but it will take a Daniel to find it.

Catholics Under American Flag.  
Nearly 21,000,000 Roman Catholics live under the American flag.

**For the Children**  
To succeed these days you must have plenty of grit, courage, strength. How is it with the children? Are they thin, pale, delicate? Do not forget Ayer's Sarsaparilla. You know it makes the blood pure and rich, and builds up the general health in every way.  
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Tricks Plentiful in Jamaica.  
There are few flies or mosquitoes in Jamaica, but there are swarms of the most villainous ticks, which have to be guarded against continually. To walk across a pasture or, in fact, to step out of a beaten path or roadway is regarded as a very foolish performance by a Jamaican. Strangers usually begin by running headlong into danger and then repenting in haste.

"How to Avoid Appendicitis"  
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Of Personal Interest.  
"What," queried the spinster, "was the most interesting thing you ever read?" "My decree of divorce," promptly replied the grass widow.

\* Pneumonia's Deadly Work.  
had so seriously affected my right lung, writes Mrs. Fannie Connor, of Rural Route 1, Georgetown, Tenn., that I coughed continuously night and day and the neighbors' prediction—consumption—seemed inevitable, until my husband brought home a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery which in my case proved to be the only real cough cure and restorer of weak, sore lungs. When all other remedies utterly fail, you may still win the battle against lung and throat troubles with New Discovery, the real cure. Guaranteed by J. H. Swan, druggist. 50c. and \$1.00 Trial bottle free.

Meredith Poems.  
An interesting "find" of Meredith verse has been made in the files of "Household Words," Dickens' paper. The poems, of which there are quite a number, were contributed anonymously long ago.—Book Monthly.

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Township Treasurer's Report.  
Annual statement for publication of receipts and expenditures of township and district funds, by the treasurer of township No. 46, range No. 10, Lake county, Illinois, during the fiscal year beginning April 3, 1906, and ending April 1, 1907.

ITEMS OF RECEIPTS.  
Cash on hand at beginning of fiscal year (April 3, 1906) belonging to principal of township fund..... \$ 950 00  
Received interest from township fund..... 113 70  
Received from County Superintendent..... 314 47  
Total..... \$1377 17  
ITEMS OF EXPENDITURES.  
Distributed and put to credit of districts..... \$ 962 62  
Paid incidentals of trustees and treasurer..... 40 00  
Paid publishing statement..... 9 35  
Paid stamps..... 2 00  
Cash on hand at date (April 1, 1907)..... 2 00  
Longing to principal of township fund..... 550 00  
Total..... \$1377 17  
Township Treasurer in debt with School Districts:  
ITEMS OF RECEIPTS.  
Balance on hand at beginning of fiscal year (April 3, 1906)..... \$365 23  
From distribution of trustees..... 962 62  
From special district taxes..... 436 02  
From railroad taxes..... 1021 15  
From local taxes..... 310 72  
From telephone and telegraph tax..... 20 31  
From trustees of other townships, for No. 26..... 351 94  
From tuition fees, District 31..... 130 75  
From tuition fees, District 41..... 20 07  
Total balance and receipts..... \$2680 87  
ITEMS OF EXPENDITURES.  
Paid out on directors' orders—for account of district No. 27..... \$ 305 87  
Paid out on directors' orders—for account of district No. 28..... 430 66  
Paid out on directors' orders—for account of district No. 31..... 317 86  
Paid out on directors' orders—for account of district No. 32..... 318 72  
Paid out on directors' orders—for account of district No. 31..... 458 13  
Paid out on directors' orders—for account of district No. 26..... 335 60  
Paid out on directors' orders—for account of district No. 38..... 106 69  
Paid out on directors' orders—for account of district No. 48..... 31 42  
Paid out on directors' orders—for account of district No. 31..... 222 56  
Paid out on directors' orders—for account of district No. 41..... 626 11  
Total expenditures..... \$1613 42  
Cash balance on hand at date (April 1, 1907)..... \$354 45  
Total expenditures, loans and balance..... \$1967 87  
I do hereby certify the foregoing report to be correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
E. B. WILLIAMS, Treasurer.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 1st day of April, A. D. 1907.  
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Nellie Thomas and hus to Emily Gross tract of land in sec 9 Shields twp w d 1 00  
G. S. Brown to E. A. Cummings and R. C. Givens lts 29 30 57 and 63 Washington Park w d 1000 00  
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Elizabeth B. Woodbridge to Adolph Wojnicz l 10 blk 2 Woodbridge sub North Chicago w d 200 00  
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J. G. Weidner Sr and wf to Eli Frantz and O. Rockenbach 30 acres in sec 36 Vernon twp deed 600 00  
Goldwin Wellin et al to E. Frantz and O. Rockenbach 31 acres in sec 36 Vernon twp w d 1500 00  
J. A. Webb and wf to Nettie Smith l 33 blk 10 and lts 10 and 11 blk 35 Chicago Spring Bluffs w d 60 00  
Chicago Title & Trust Co. to A. H. Baldwin l 2 blk 39 Chicago Highlands deed 310 00  
Wm. Atteridge to A. B. Dick lts 30 and 33 Western add Lake Forest w d 7500 00  
Mary A. Trumbi to A. J. Truby l 1 blk 1 Kirk & Powell's add Waukegan w d 1500 00  
P. A. Montgomery and wf to Gordon Buchanan l 2 blk 34 Highland Park w d 1 00  
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L. R. Skinner and wf to G. F. Beach 12 lts Lake Bluff w d 2000 00  
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Chas. Oakley and wf to C. E. Saylor l 1 blk 7 Lenox sub North Chicago w d 650 00  
Master in Chancery to P. V. Barmore l 14 blk 12 Sunderland's 1st add Waukegan deed 935 00  
S. Mruwowski and wf to J. C. Hale l 16 blk 14 Dreyer's sub North Chicago w d 225 00  
J. W. Foster and wf et al to C. J. Johnson lot in Lake Villa q c 1 00  
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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

ELGIN, ILL., Apr. 8—Butter firm at 80c. Output of the week, 455,000.

Next Tuesday will occur the Antioch village election.

Don't forget that I sell all kinds of shoes. Chase Webb.

C. Calugi has rented the house on Lake street recently vacated by Charles Hoge.

New and second hand pianos for sale or rent. Prices always right. J. B. Grice, 201f.

Miss Ollie Tiffany spent a few days the fore part of the week with friends in Chicago.

A. D. Webb of Wankegan, was calling on relatives and friends here the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hockney visited over Sunday with their daughter at Pleasant Prairie, Wis.

For Sale or Rent—House and 5½ acres of land one mile south-east of Antioch. Inquire at this office. 25f

Isaac Levinson moved from the Olcott house on Main street to one of the Rice houses, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dorrance and sons of Chicago were out to their cottage at Lake Catherine a day or two last week.

For Sale—Sterling ventilator coal heater china closet, hanging lamps and other articles. Inquire at house. R. C. Higgins, 33f.

Mrs. Carrie Hook has sold her lot and barn on Lake street to Clarissa A. Clark who intends to erect a house there this spring.

For Sale—Farm on Loon Lake, good improvements, 75 rods lake frontage. Address Paul MacGuffin, Libertyville, Ill. 20m2

J. P. Johnson of Grass Lake, has leased L. A. Paddock's hotel on Bluff Lake for a term of years and hereafter will be known as "Landlord Jim."

Mr. and Mrs. George Webb and family returned on Thursday of last week from Texas and Oklahoma where they have been spending the winter.

C. M. Holmes who has been located in Indiana for some time has moved to Chicago and Mrs. Holmes and children who have been spending the winter here will join him there in a few days.

The Behnd Dairy Company of Chicago will open up the Grayslake creamery, which has been idle for some time, and take in milk for shipment to Chicago. The necessary machinery for separating and bottling milk will be put in and they expect to be ready for business next week. For the present the milk will be separated and shipped to the city in special cans, later they will commence bottling. A large amount of milk has been secured.

"Ted" Collier was found guilty of manslaughter in the fourth degree by the jury in the circuit court. The jury reached an agreement just after three o'clock and after it had received a long instruction from the court as to the questions at issue in the case. Collier was not sentenced by the court, and as soon as the jury announced its verdict the attorneys for the defense moved that judgement be suspended and for a new trial of the case. Judge Belden took the motion under advisement and will probably decide it tomorrow.

On Saturday afternoon and evening of last week Sequoit lodge A. F. and A. M. entertained visiting lodges from Libertyville, Grayslake, Millburn, Richmond, Wilmet, and Bristol. During the afternoon three candidates were initiated into the mysteries of the order and in the evening one received the degree. At the conclusion of the evening session an elegant banquet was served in Grice's hall by the ladies of the Antioch Hillside Cemetery association. On all sides can be heard words of praise for the ladies who had the banquet in charge.

See my line of \$10.00 spring suits. Chase Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ames of Wankegan visited over Sunday with relatives here.

For Sale—A residence lot on Lake street. Inquire at the State Bank of Antioch. 32w4

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drom of Genoa Junction were Antioch visitors the latter part of last week.

W. H. Osmond was suddenly called to Richmond on Monday by the serious illness of his mother.

To Rent—Pasture land for cattle. Plenty of feed and good water. Fred Hem-brook, Antioch, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Trieger of Norwood Park were transacting business and calling on friends in Antioch Monday.

Mrs. Thomas Webb and children of Wankegan was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Pullen the latter part of last week.

The Antioch Hillside Cemetery society will hold its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Andrew Harrison Wednesday afternoon, April 17.

Having decided to remove to Wankegan, I will sell at private sale my entire stock of household furniture, dishes, etc. J. N. Cohn. 30f

Mr. N. B. Bates who for the past year has successfully conducted the Paddock house at Bluff Lake has leased the Queen of the West this year.

I have good pasture for horses and cattle during the summer, with abundance of pure water and plenty of feed. Inquire of E. Hostatter, Fox Lake, Ill. 33w2

Before going to the city to buy a ready made skirt waist, call and see my line. I think I can save you money. I have a nice line to choose from. Mrs. Osmond.

Mrs. Fred Myers of Silver Lake and Mrs. L. E. McMackin of Chicago transacted business in Antioch Monday. Mrs. McMackin has rented one of the Rice houses and she and her husband will move in as soon as the house is vacated by Mrs. Frieze, who expects to move to Evanston about the twentieth of this month.

Miss Addie Schaffer returned last week from Chicago where she has spent the past few weeks in purchasing a large stock of the latest spring millinery. She has a large assortment of the newest and daintiest styles in ladies' misses and children's hats, and invites the ladies of Antioch and vicinity to call and inspect her stock.

New cement sidewalk walks are to be laid on Main street in front of the Morley and Brogan properties. We understand that Williams Brothers are planning to lay cement walk in front of their buildings. B. F. Naber and the M. E. church are also to have cement walks. With all these new walks Main street will be much improved in appearance.

Mr. L. E. McMackin, piano tuner and teacher on violin, is about to locate permanently in Antioch. He has for the last three years held the position as head tuner for the Chickering Piano Co. of Chicago. Mr. McMackin comes highly recommended and we bespeak for him the success which he merits. Orders left at Overton's drug store will receive his prompt attention.

Last Thursday evening members of the J. O. F. lodge of Antioch brought to a close a novel contest. Six months ago the membership was divided in halves, each half determining to excel the other half as member gettlers, the result was a tie. The afternoon was devoted to finishing the work of the past six months and six members received their third degree. After the work in the evening the members repaired to the Haynes hall where the ladies of the Rebecca lodge had prepared a fine banquet, after which each member went home well satisfied with the work accomplished and determined to keep the good work going.

See my line of 75 cent hats. Chase Webb.

Our nice spring weather seems to have taken hold.

Henry Herman was transacting business in Chicago Monday.

Mrs. R. Johannott is entertaining her sister from Spring Grove this week.

For Sale—A quantity of early potatoes, six weeks. Inquire at S. H. Message.

Charles Thorn has moved his old farm, house and begun the erection of his new residence on the site.

Mr. Arthur Dibble and Miss Emma Witt both well known and popular young people of this vicinity were married last week. They will make their home at Burlington, Wis.

See Alden, Bidinger & Co., for any thing in music. Pianos, phonographs and records. Two stores, 473 Market st. Kenosha, and 209 N. Genesee st., Waukegan. For piano tuning send to us.

Philo Curtis, an old pioneer resident of Bristol died at his home in that town on Monday morning of last week. Mr. Curtis was born in Columbia county, New York, April 5th, 1824. He was a carpenter by trade in his early years but in 1849 he settled on a farm near Bristol and there the remainder of his years were spent. He will be sadly missed by his many friends as well as within the circle of his own home. The family have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

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For President of the Village Board

HERMAN BOCK

For Trustees of the Village Board

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For Village Treasurer

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Record 2:16.4

Brother of

Axworthy, 3.

Tom Axworthy, 4.

Alta Axworthy, 3.

Jack Axworthy, 2.

Alta Axworthy, 2.

Bucklock, p. 3.

Flying Axworthy, 2.

Guy Axworthy, 2.

Sid Axworthy, 2.

Ben Axworthy, 2.

Lady Worthy, 2.

Blind Worthy, 2.

Joe Axworthy, 3.

Robt. Axworthy, 3.

Con Axworthy, 4.

Nell Worthy, 4.

How Axworthy, 6.

Venia Worthy, 3.

Nordland Jax, 4.

Margie J. 6.

Asway, 5.

Baron Axworthy, 4.

Rose Worthy, 4.

Moor Axworthy, 3.

## AXTELL, 6183

Record 2:22

Brother of

Ozomat, 2.

Home Circle, 2.

Elmore, 2.

Prozell, 2.

Ax, p. 2.

Axelright, 2.

Mainland, 2.

dam of 18, including

Geo. Muscovite, 2.

Redell, p. 2.

Director, 2.

Ruxinite, 2.

dam of 18, including

Chase, 2.

Geo. Muscovite, 2.

Redell, p. 2.

Director, 2.

Ruxinite, 2.

dam of 18, including

Chase, 2.

Geo. Muscovite, 2.

Redell, p. 2.

Director, 2.

Ruxinite, 2.

## WILLIAM, L. 4214

Record 2:22

Brother of

Axell, 3.

Lucere, p. 2.

Miss Willamout, 2.

Lundeen, p. 2.

Improvidence, 2.

dam of 11, including

Axell, 3.

Lucere, p. 2.

Miss Willamout, 2.

Lundeen, p. 2.

Improvidence, 2.

dam of 11, including

Axell, 3.

Lucere, p. 2.

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## TORNADO IN SOUTH

LEAST 25 LIVES LOST AND  
GREAT DAMAGE DONE.

### LOUISIANA TOWNS SUFFER

Alexandria Has Fearful Experience,  
Many Dwellings Being Wrecked  
—Inane Asylum at Jack-  
son Is Destroyed.

New Orleans. — Fully 25 deaths and more than twice as many severe injuries resulted from Friday's tornado through Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama. Less than half of those killed were white persons. The tornado moved from west to east, crossing the southern extremities of Louisiana and Mississippi and striking into Alabama for a short distance. Portions of four towns were devastated and damage probably exceeding half a million dollars was done, for in addition to the places in which the tornado manifested fatal violence, the disturbance did general damage to property, crops and telegraph wires throughout its 300 mile course.

The tornado began at Alexandria, La., soon after one o'clock in the morning, instantly killing four persons there, probably fatally injuring three and seriously injuring 13 others. Soon after daylight it neared the Mississippi river, instantly killing five persons at Jackson, La., while at Bayou Sara, La., at least a dozen others were reported killed. There was one fatal injury at Jackson. The tornado next appeared at Carson, Miss., where great property damage was done and the last heard of it was about noon near Selma, Ala., where the inhabitants saw whirling clouds rise into the air as they crossed the river. One death, a negro, was reported near Selma, but not confirmed.

**Destruction at Alexandria.**  
Alexandria, a town of about 16,000 inhabitants, had a fearful experience. When the tornado struck the electric lights went out, the crackling of falling buildings could be heard above the noise of the wind, and vivid lightning flashes showed such sights as an empty iron mountain passenger train rolling over and over. Immediately after the wind spent its violence a heavy hail storm came on.

Luckily, the main portion of Alexandria escaped the worst of the tornado, which cut a patch through the northern part of the town, a residence section. About a score of homes were completely wrecked, 50 were damaged and altogether about 100 buildings were seriously wrecked, including several business houses. The iron mountain road lost its roundhouse. A freak of the wind drove a small section of a house into one of the empty passenger coaches, wedging these two bodies almost inextricably together.

**Asylum at Jackson Suffers.**  
A remarkable report comes from the state insane asylum at Jackson, La., which was partly wrecked. Nearly all the patients were left without shelter, 20 of them being seriously injured. Several cases of chronic hysteria are reported to have been shocked into what the physicians declare may prove permanent recovery.

Gov. Blanchard has rushed tents and cots from the state military supplies for the temporary housing of the asylum inmates. The governor issued a statement that the damage to the asylum is not above \$100,000.

At Bayou Sara several passengers on the steamer Betsy Ann, running to Natchez, had a thrilling escape. The Betsy Ann was reduced to almost a total wreck. While the breaking timbers both from the steamer and from the shore flew through the air, the crew got all the passengers safely ashore. First Mate Abe Crothers had an arm broken, and hardly a member of the crew escaped without painful bruises.

**Carson Is Hard Hit.**  
At Carson, Miss., the next point the tornado struck, the Mississippi Central railroad depot was blown down, also a church, schoolhouse and two business buildings and several cabins. Here the tornado's path was but 200 yards wide and the wind blew from the southeast.

From Carson, the storm crossed the state line into Alabama, where it began to lose much of its destructive power.

**Hudson River Boat Burns.**  
Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.—The steamer City of Troy of the Citizens' line was burned to the water's edge here Friday night. All the passengers, some 65 in number, were landed safely. The steamer was completely destroyed, with its cargo of freight and 13 horses.

**Street Car Men Get Higher Pay.**  
Columbus, O.—The Columbus Railway and Light company Thursday voluntarily increased the wages of all conductors and motormen, numbering nearly 600, one-half cent per hour.

**Paris to Have Big Strike.**  
Paris.—At a meeting Sunday of a committee of the Allied Provisions Trades union, comprising butchers, bakers, grocers, etc., it was decided to call a general strike. It probably will begin April 11.

**Triple Crime by Jealous Negro.**  
Houston, Tex.—News was received here that Sonny Jones, a jealous negro, shot and mortally wounded his wife near Wharton late Saturday evening. He then killed her mother and Harry Higgins.

## PENROSE DENIES PLOT TALE

SENATOR SAYS HE NEVER HEARD  
OF ALLEGED CABAL.

Secretary Loeb Declares Roosevelt  
Learned of Scheme Before Din-  
ner of Conspirators.

Philadelphia. — United States Senator Penrose had this to say Friday about a published report that he told at a dinner in Washington the story of a "rich men's conspiracy" to prevent the selection of President Roosevelt's choice of a successor to himself: "It is absolutely an untruth. I have never said any such thing. It is untrue. I have always been a supporter of and believer in President Roosevelt's administration and all its policies."

The senator was asked: "Have you ever heard of a \$5,000,000 fund to prevent President Roosevelt's naming his successor?"

"No, absolutely not," was his reply. "Have you ever heard of the combination termed the 'rich men's conspiracy' to thwart the president in the development of his policies?"

"No, I have never heard of any such combination and have no knowledge of it."

"Did you attend a dinner of such a character as was mentioned to-day in the Washington dispatches?"

"No, I never attended a dinner where such a subject was discussed. I could not have done so, anyhow, for I have just returned from the Indian cruise with Secretary McCall and Senator Flinn of California. I arrived in Philadelphia Tuesday night after a month's trip. During that time I did not follow the newspapers or keep in touch with affairs in the United States."

Washington. — It was stated at the White House Friday that knowledge of the "cabal" alleged to have been formed to defeat the policies of Mr. Roosevelt came to the notice of the president some time before the dinner at which the whole scheme was laid bare.

Persistent efforts were made at the White House to obtain the name of the person who is said to be responsible for giving away the information of the combination, but Secretary Loeb declined to make this public.

### BIG RAIL STRIKE AVERTED.

Managers and Trainmen at Chicago  
Reach Settlement.

Chicago.—It was announced at 2:25 Thursday afternoon that the general managers of the 43 western railways and the committee of the union conductors and trainmen had reached a settlement at 1:30 p. m., and all danger of a strike, which for several weeks has threatened to tie up traffic in the west, had been averted.

The proposition on which the settlement was arranged was put forward by Commissioners Knapp and Neill, President Roosevelt's representatives in Chicago. The managers made a slight additional concession in the passenger service over their recent offer to the men and gained a ten-hour working day in the work-train service. The announcement has been made that the same conditions will apply on a settlement of the controversy between the managers and the locomotive firemen.

### MEXICAN EDITOR JAILED.

Said Creel Was Not Eligible as Gov-  
ernor of Chihuahua.

El Paso, Tex.—Because he had been urging that Enrique C. Creel, ambassador of Mexico to the United States, could not be elected the constitutional governor of the state of Chihuahua, Silvestre Terrazas, editor of El Correo, a daily newspaper of high standing published in the city of Chihuahua, is in jail.

The arrest has caused a profound sensation throughout northern Mexico, and is being used not without effect by the agitators against the Diaz government, the so-called "revolutionists," on both sides of the border.

**Judge Josiah Turner Dead.**  
Owosso, Mich.—Judge Josiah Turner, for 24 years judge of the Seventh judicial circuit in this state, and a member of the state supreme bench for a time in 1857 to fill a vacancy, died at his home here Sunday night, aged 96 years. Judge Turner was born in New Haven, Vt. He was one of the signers of the call for the convention under the oaks at Jackson in 1854, which resulted in the formation of the Republican party.

**Schooner's Crew Rescued.**  
Norfolk, Va.—Ten persons, two of whom are women, were rescued from death by Capt. Etheridge and his crew of life savers at the Nag's Head (N. C.) station early Sunday, when the four-masted schooner Louis Bossart was blown ashore by the heavy northeast gale that has prevailed along the Virginia-Carolina coast for the past 48 hours.

**Whipping Post Is Revived.**  
Baltimore, Md.—The whipping post was called into use at the city jail here Friday for the first time in 20 years. Saylor Brooks (colored) was given nine lashes with a cat-o-nine-tails for wife-beating.

**Seven Killed in Collision.**  
Vera Cruz, Mex.—In a collision between two freight trains on the Mexican railway (old Vera Cruz road), between the stations of Rinconada and Tamarindo, Thursday, seven men lost their lives.

## THINGS JUST ABOUT THE SAME.



## BOUND TO CATCH WRECKERS

PENNSYLVANIA ROAD OFFICIALS  
OFFER BIG REWARD.

Thoroughly Roused by Third Attempt  
to Derail Fast Trains—Many Offi-  
cers After Miscreants.

Pittsburg, Pa. — A statement issued Sunday night from the headquarters of the Pennsylvania lines west says that company is making every effort to capture the person or persons who attempted to wreck train No. 323 on the Cleveland & Pittsburg division near Hudson, O., Saturday night and for whose arrest a reward of \$2,500 has been offered, with an additional \$2,500 if they are taken within the next 24 hours.

The sheriffs of Summit, Portage and Cuyahoga counties, with their deputies and the chief of police of Cleveland, are exerting every effort to find some trace of the wreckers. No arrests have been made.

While the search is in progress officials of the railroad have been making a rigid investigation into the derailment. Sunday a test was made to discover how long it would take a man familiar with track work to arrange the rails so as to throw a train off the track. The conditions under which the wrecker or wreckers worked were duplicated as nearly as possible and the test showed that one man, working rapidly, could draw the spikes, remove the fish plates and bend the rail inward, securing it in that position, in about five minutes. The test was made in daylight, however, and the investigation shows that the wreckers worked in the dark, so that it would probably have taken a longer time to complete the task.

Officials of the Pennsylvania railroad are thoroughly aroused at the third attempt to wreck fast trains and stated Sunday night that absolutely everything that money could accomplish was being done to effect the capture and punishment of the wreckers.

### DENIES KILLING MRS. GENTRY.

Constantine Says She Committed Su-  
icide with His Razor.

New York. — The man arrested in Brooklyn on suspicion that he murdered Mrs. Gentry of Chicago made a statement to the police Thursday, in which he said that he is Constantine, the man for whom the Chicago police have been searching. He said he did not kill Mrs. Gentry, but that she committed suicide in his presence. He said he was willing to return to Chicago and explain to the police there.

Constantine said that Mrs. Gentry killed herself with his razor. It was a white-handled razor, and how she got possession of it, he did not know. After he left the house, Constantine said, he pawned a diamond ring, receiving, he thinks, \$80, and pawned a watch and chain and for \$45. He took the 1:45 p. m. train for New York. He has been in Italy and South America since then.

**Will Sue to Recover Mineral Lands.**  
Reno, Nev. — The department of the interior is to sue the Southern Pacific company at once to cancel all patents issued to the railroad in the White Horse mining district on the claim that the land was agricultural. It is now alleged that the land for which the railroad received patents was mineral.

**Millionaire Dies Suddenly.**  
New York.—Theodore D. Buhl, president of the Buhl Malleable Iron works of Detroit, president of the Detroit National bank, and also of the firm of Parke, Davis & Co., chemical and drug manufacturers, dropped dead Sunday on the street near the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, where he had been a guest. Death was due to apoplexy.

**Senator Heyburn Much Better.**  
Philadelphia. — The condition of United States Senator W. B. Heyburn of Idaho, who was taken suddenly ill Saturday, was much improved Sunday night. He suffered from an attack of acute indigestion.

**Little Quakes Are Abating.**  
Constantinople. — Rev. Royal M. Cole, head of the American mission at Bitlis, Armenia, in a telegram from that town says the earthquake shocks are abating and the people are getting over their fright.

## BUSSE TO SUCCEED DUNNE.

Republicans at Chicago Elect Can-  
didate for Mayor.

Chicago. — Fred A. Busse was elected mayor of Chicago Tuesday over Edward F. Dunne by a plurality, on the face of the police returns, of 13,476. John R. McCabe, Republican candidate for city clerk, defeated Thomas F. Little by a plurality larger than that of Busse, but Gen. Edward C. Young, Republican nominee for city treasurer, was beaten. John E. Traeger, Democrat, triumphed, receiving an almost solid Democratic vote. The result is looked upon by politicians as a defeat for William R. Hearst and the Hearst Independence league along the same lines as the defeat of Hearst for Governor of New York last year.

The traction settlement ordinances were ratified by a majority of 33,126. The total vote was 165,846 in their favor and 132,720 against.

The new city council stands: Democrats, 35; Republicans, 34; Independent Democrat, 1.

### TO PROBE GRAFT CHARGES.

Washington Officials Confident Con-  
gressman Rainey Is Mistaken.

Washington. — Charges of grafting made against the Panama canal commissariat by Representative Rainey of Illinois were ordered fully investigated by the officials here Wednesday. Representative Rainey's charges, which refer particularly to overcharges for meats and other supplies to canal employees and to the serving of bad meats on the isthmus, will go to Panama by steamer, with orders to investigate. Officials here are confident that Representative Rainey is mistaken.

The commissariat on the isthmus is handled entirely by the Panama railway. Morris & Co., of Chicago, furnish the meats. The charge of bad meats relates entirely to the method of their handling at Colon, and has nothing to do with the contractors. Representative Rainey exonerates Jackson Smith, head of the commissariat.

### INDICTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT.

Assistant Adjutant General of West  
Virginia Is Accused.

Charleston, W. Va.—The military board of survey which has been investigating the accounts of the assistant adjutant general of this state, appeared before the grand jury Friday afternoon and secured the indictment of Col. A. S. Hutson, who has held that office since 1899 during three state administrations, on the charge of embezzlement of \$800. A warrant was issued and he was arrested.

The indictment covers but one specification and, while the state officials and board of survey are reticent, it has become generally understood that the trouble has extended over a period of years and that the amount may reach or exceed \$30,000.

### Taft and Party at Havana.

Havana.—Secretary of War Taft and party arrived here Sunday morning on board the Mayflower. The trip from the isthmus was uneventful. All the members of the party are well.

### Five Hundred Chinese Burned Out.

Bellingham, Wash.—Fire Thursday night completely destroyed the Chinese portion of Stevenson, B. C., at the mouth of the Fraser river. Five hundred Chinese are homeless.

### Ex-President of Guatemala Slain.

Mexico City.—Ex-President Jose Barrillas of Guatemala was assassinated in this city Sunday night at the house of commons by a young Guatemalan named Cabrera, 18 years old.

### Conference on Trusts.

New York.—The executive council of the National Civic federation has decided on Chicago as the place, and May 28, 29, 30 and 31 as the dates for holding the national conference on combinations and trusts.

### Vandals Destroy Library.

Waterloo, Ia.—Orville Jones and Willard Smith were arrested here for despoiling the West Side Carnegie library. They confessed. The damage done by the vandals is estimated at thousands of dollars.

## CARE OF THE SICK ROOM.

Above All Things the Walls Should  
Be Kept Dry.

When the bedroom becomes a sick room there is an added reason why extreme precautions should be used to keep the room in a thoroughly sanitary condition.

Above all things, the bedroom should never be damp. It should be nice and dry, always warm and comfortable in winter, cool and airy in summer, and bright and sunny some parts of the day.

If there is any suspicion of dampness in a bedroom it is probably due, if there is wallpaper on the wall, to the absorption of water by the paper which frequently acts as a blotting paper and holds quantities of water in it.

The use of wallpaper on walls is to be deplored; it means disease, ill health and unhappiness. It is frequently the cause of lung trouble, not only because of its dampness but also because of its power to retain infection of many kinds.

The desired method of treating a bedroom wall is to tint it for the alabaster wall is a perfect wall. It never flakes off, chips or peels. It absorbs moisture and expels it, it opens the pores of the plaster and makes a room livable and breathable.

The floor in the bedroom should have light, cleanable, dainty rugs that can be easily shaken and a floor that is thoroughly oiled or varnished, that will not absorb moisture. The cracks in the floor should be thoroughly filled and covered. Woodwork in the bedroom should be attended to carefully, window sills should be thoroughly varnished or waxed, and the window casings kept in perfect order. The doors should be wiped off frequently as well as should be all the standing woodwork in the bedroom, as the presence of dust on woodwork is a menace to health as well as an evidence of poor housekeeping.

### WOMEN IN NEW FIELDS.

British Smart Society Takes to "Hop-  
ping"—Woman Veterinary.

Work in the hop fields is the latest "rest cure" fad for London's smart set, and the luxurious society "hoppers" claim that a week's hopping is far better and more pleasant than a rest at any well-known health resort. The tents of these well-to-do pickers are expensively furnished, and easy chairs, soft beds and up-to-date camping outfits are among their hopping appliances.

In Berlin there is a woman veterinary surgeon who is an official inspector of animals. She rides through the streets on the lookout for animals suffering from any disablement, and before reporting a horse as unfit for work, she examines its injuries and whenever possible applies remedies to alleviate its pain. She carries a leather case filled with bandages and other surgical appliances.

### SLEEP BROKEN BY ITCHING.

Eczema Covered Whole Body for a  
Year—No Relief Until Cuticura  
Remedies Prove a Success.

"For a year I have had what they call eczema. I had an itching all over my body, and when I would retire for the night it would keep me awake half the night, and the more I would scratch, the more it would itch. I tried all kinds of remedies, but could get no relief.

"I used one cake of Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura, and two vials of Cuticura Resolvent Pills, which cost me a dollar and twenty-five cents in all, and am very glad I tried them, for I was completely cured. Walter W. Pagusch, 207 N. Robey St., Chicago, Ill., Oct. 8 and 16, 1906."

**Disliked the Word "Death."**  
"Decease" is now a regular form of word for death. But it began as a gentle euphemism, "decease" (departure) seeming much less harsh to the Romans than "mors." All languages abound in euphemisms of the kind, which go back to a superstitious reluctance to mention death plainly, that gradually passed into a kindly desire to soften the idea. "Passed away," "departed," "gone," "expired" (breathe out), "no more," "demise," and even "the late" are expressions of this nature. Most striking of all is the Roman euphemism for "he is dead"—"vixit," he has lived.

### Curious Maps.

Maps for military and general field use are produced by Dr. O. H. F. Vollbehr, of Halesowen, Berlin, as microscopic transparencies, each about one and one-half inch by two inches in size. These form slides for the micro-photoscope, a special instrument having a hand-mirror-shaped frame, to which is attached a slide-holder, with a movable lens over it. The lens slides in two directions, about 70 square miles being shown in each position.

**Garfield Tea—the indispensable laxative.** Take it in the Spring; it purifies the blood, cleanses the system, eradicates disease. It is made wholly of simple herbs. Guaranteed under the Pure Food and Drug Law.

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When a tall man is broke that's the long and short of it.

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### Carnegie Fund Participants.

The report of the Carnegie fund for the advancement of teaching shows that already 389 institutions have applied for a share of the proceeds, and that of these 62 have been placed on the accepted list, having met the conditions in regard to denominationalism and academic standards. In the accepted institutions 45 professors have received more than \$69,000 and the widows of some professors have been assisted. One-half the accepted colleges are in New England, New York and Pennsylvania, and, with one exception, the entire list lies in the northern belt of states.

### King Edward a Pigeon-Fancier.

It may not be generally known that King Edward is fond of pigeon-racing, and has participated actively in it. His majesty has a big loft full of pigeons at Sandringham, where they are regularly and specially trained for long-distance races. Some years ago one of his birds won the biggest race of the year, the "Pigeon Derby," in a magnificent flight home from Lerwick.

### Carpets from Paper.

The proprietors of an Austrian carpet factory at Maffersdorf are stated to have acquired German patents which embody a method of manufacturing carpets or floor coverings from paper. The new material can be made in all colors, is washable and will probably prove itself a rival to linoleum.

## HONEST MEDICINE

TRY DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS  
FOR STOMACH TROUBLE.

Convincing Evidence Supported by a  
Guarantee That Must Convince  
The Most Skeptical.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a doctor's prescription, used by an eminent practitioner, and for nearly a generation known as a reliable household remedy throughout the United States. Needless to say, no advertised medicine could retain popular favor for so long a period without having great merit and it is the invaluable curative properties of the pills that have made them a standard remedy in every civilized country in the world. Added to this is the absolute guarantee that the pills contain no harmful drug, opiate, narcotic or stimulant. A recent evidence of their efficacy is found in the statement of Mrs. N. B. Whitely, of Boxley, Ark., who says:

"I had suffered for a good many years from stomach trouble. For a long time I was subject to bad spells of faintness and lack of breath accompanied by an indescribable feeling that seemed to start in my stomach. Whenever I was a little run-down or over-tired, these spells would come on. They occurred frequently but did not last very long. I was confined to my bed for ten weeks one time and the doctor pronounced my trouble chronic inflammation of the stomach and bowels. Since that time I have been subject to the fainting spells and at other times to fluttering of the heart and a feeling as though I was smothering. My general health was very bad and I was weak and trembling."

"I had seen Dr. Williams' Pink Pills mentioned in the newspapers and decided to try them. When I began taking the pills I was so run-down in strength that I could hardly do any housework. Now I could walk ten miles if necessary. Both my husband and myself think Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the best medicine made and we always recommend the pills to our friends."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new blood and give strength and tone to every part of the body. They have cured serious disorders of the blood and nerves, such as rheumatism, sciatica, anæmia, nervousness, headaches, partial paralysis, locomotor ataxia, St. Vitus' dance and many forms of weakness in either sex. They are sold by all druggists or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

### INVENTIONS NEEDED

Writing machines and calculators on terms. MARION E. WILSON, 100 N. W. 10th St., St. Paul, Minn. Send references.



## DELMAS BEGINS PLEA

BASES ARGUMENT FOR THAW ON LAW AND SYMPATHY.

### WIFE'S MOTHER SCORED

Bitter Invective Also Poured Out on Stanford White—Case Likely to Go to Jury Wednesday.

New York.—The trial of Harry K. Thaw, charged with the murder of Stanford White, is nearing the end. Attorney Delmas, the California advocate, Monday afternoon began his closing address to the jury, and after he had spoken for more than two hours and a half an adjournment was taken until Tuesday morning.

Mr. Delmas expects to conclude before the luncheon hour is reached. District Attorney Jerome will make the closing address of the trial on Wednesday, and Thaw's fate should be in the hands of the jury by Wednesday evening.

Declaring he would not base his plea upon the "unwritten law," because his client found ample protection in the written statutes of the state of New York, Mr. Delmas made a striking appeal to the sympathies of the jurors, and so far as he progressed Monday the subject of Thaw's insanity at the time he committed the homicide was not even hinted at.

Mr. Delmas based his argument solely upon the story of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw. With flushed cheeks, but dry eyes, that young woman heard her life history repeated to the men who are to judge her husband, and bowed her head as her mother was denounced in the bitterest terms and tones the eloquent lawyer could command.

Mr. Delmas, before beginning his attack upon Evelyn Thaw's mother, poured out a torrent of denunciation upon the architect who became the victim of Thaw's pistol. He accused him of the "crime of rape," and then declared that President Roosevelt had said in a message to congress that such a crime should be visited with death. This was one of the suggestions which Thaw himself made to his counsel for his summing up speech.

Mr. Delmas declared that God heard the cry of the fated child upon whom Stanford White had fixed his gaze and had determined should be his. He quoted from Scripture that "he who afflicts a fatherless child shall perish," and declared that Providence had sent Thaw to avenge the wrong.

### NO DEFENSE AT PUERTO CORTES.

Hondurans Thought War Was Over—American Marines Guard Celba.

New Orleans.—That Puerto Cortes was surrendered without fighting and that about 1,500 Honduran soldiers abandoned the port two days before the Nicaraguan troops appeared was the information brought here Monday night by the steamer Anselm from Puerto Cortes.

The Hondurans did not desert their post through cowardice, according to these dispatches, but decided that the war was over.

United States marines closed all saloons in Celba after the abandonment of the port by the Hondurans. Puerto Cortes, Honduras, via New Orleans.—An authoritative statement of great moment in the relations of the United States to Central American republics has been given out here. It is to the effect that bombardment of coast towns cannot be permitted "during the frequent wars and revolutions in Central American states."

The statement is by Commander Fullam of the United States gunboat Marietta and is part of a letter to Gen. Juan J. Estrada, general commanding the Nicaraguan expedition engaged in capturing Honduran ports.

### SAVED FROM THE GALLOWES.

Sentences of Mrs. Myers and Frank Hottman Commuted.

Jefferson City, Mo.—The sentences of death imposed upon Mrs. Aggie Myers of Kansas City and Frank Hottman of Higginsville, Mo., who were convicted of having murdered the woman's husband, Clarence Myers, in 1904, were commuted by Gov. Folk Monday to imprisonment for life.

### Arrested for Wife-Murder.

New York.—Dr. Samuel S. Guy, a prominent dentist of Far Rockaway and for a number of years, until recently, coroner of Queens Borough, is under arrest charged with the murder of his wife in their home Monday night.

### Fatal Wreck in Nevada.

Winnemucca, Nev.—Passenger train No. 4, on the Southern Pacific, ran into a split switch at Browns Monday. Engineer F. C. Hampton was killed. The fireman's legs were cut off. A number of passengers were hurt.

### Czar Honors a Jew-Baiter.

St. Petersburg.—M. Pichno, a former professor of the University of Kiev, has been made a member of the council of empire. He is a noted reactionary and anti-semitic, and is the reputed organizer of the anti-Jewish attacks at Kiev.

### Big Blaze in Galveston.

Galveston, Tex.—Fanned by a high northeast wind, fire late Monday caused the total destruction of three buildings and entailed a loss estimated at \$175,000.

### TIRED BACKS.

The kidneys have a great work to do in keeping the blood pure. When they get out of order it causes backache, headaches, dizziness, languor and distressing urinary troubles. Keep the kidneys well and all these sufferings will be saved you. Mrs. S. A. Moore, proprietor of a restaurant at Waterville, Mo., says: "Before using Doan's Kidney Pills I suffered everything from kidney troubles for a year and a half. I had pain in the back and head, and almost continuous in the loins and felt weary all the time. A few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills brought great relief, and I kept on taking them until in a short time I was cured. I think Doan's Kidney Pills are wonderful."

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### WOMAN HAS FINE RECORD.

Keeper of Lighthouse, She Has Saved Eighteen Lives.

Ida Lewis recently celebrated her fiftieth year as keeper of the Lime Island lighthouse in the harbor of Newport, R. I. As a girl and woman Ida Lewis has lived a remarkable life. Her bravery and skill in handling a boat are well known and her fame is secure as the great woman life saver in the world, for she has the credit of having saved no less than 18 lives, most of her rescues having been effected in the face of extreme danger and in winter. As keeper of the Lime Island lighthouse, to which post she was appointed in recognition of her bravery and record as a life saver on the death of her father, Miss Lewis has shown herself as careful and efficient as a man could be. She is one of the few women in such a position.

### SARSAPARILLA TIME.

Make Your Own Sarsaparilla or Spring Blood Medicine.

Mix one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle and take one teaspoonful after meals and again at bedtime. Any good drugist can supply these ingredients.

This is said to be a splendid Spring Blood Tonic and system renovator because of its gentle action in restoring the kidneys to normal activity, forcing them to filter from the blood all impure matter and acids, destroying micro-organisms which produce ill health and sour blood.

Everyone should take something to cleanse the blood at this time of year, and the above simple prescription is the most highly indorsed of the hundreds of home remedies generally used.

Mix this yourself, then you will know what you are taking.

### Sheep Raising in Australia.

The greatest industry of Australia is sheep raising, mainly for the sake of the wool, but also in part, of course, for the meat. Australia now ranks second among the great sheep-raising countries, Argentina being first with 92,000,000 sheep, Australia second with 72,000,000, and Russia third with 70,000,000. Only a few years ago, Australia was first, possessing no less than 106,260,000 head of sheep. That was in 1891. Prolonged droughts were the cause of the destruction of many millions of Australian sheep, but since 1902 there has been an annual gain. Yet these sheep were not indigenous to Australia. They were first introduced in 1797, being of the Spanish merino species.

### Great German Socialist.

Herr Bebel, the leader of the German socialists, who has been so much in evidence of late, is a wheelwright by trade. Although entirely self-educated, he is one of the finest orators and debaters in the fatherland and, distasteful as his views may be to the reichstag, whenever he addresses the assembly he is certain of having a large and attentive audience. In such esteem is he held by the socialists that millions will obey his will without thinking whether they are doing right or wrong. Herr Bebel neither drinks nor smokes, and besides being a celebrity in the political world has gained some fame as a writer.

### FIND OUT

The Kind of Food That Will Keep You Well.

The true way is to find out what is best to eat and drink, and then cultivate a taste for those things instead of poisoning ourselves with improper, indigestible food, etc.

A conservative Mass. woman writes: "I have used Grape-Nuts 5 years for the young and for the aged; in sickness and in health; at first following directions carefully, later in a variety of ways as my taste and judgment suggested."

"But its most special, personal benefit has been a substitute for meat, and served dry with cream when rheumatic troubles made it important for me to give up the 'coffee habit.'"

"Served in this way with the addition of a cup of hot water and a little fruit it has been used at my morning meal for six months, during which time my health has much improved, nerves have grown steeper, and a gradual decrease in my comfort." Name given by Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," 10 pages. "There's a Reason."

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### New York Births and Deaths.

There is a birth in New York city each five minutes in the day and a death each seven minutes.

Garfield Tea, the Mild Laxative, is a pure, practical household remedy; good for young and old. To be taken for constipation, indigestion, sick-headache, colds and diseases arising from impure blood. It clears the complexion.

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Allen's Foot-Paste is a certain cure for hot, sweating, callous and swollen, itching feet. Sold by all druggists. Price 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

### Animals at Church.

Animals attend a church service in Peru. Pigs, goats, cattle and poultry are brought by their owners to be blessed on All Souls' day, and the church is turned into a domestic menagerie. The seats are removed, and the animals can trot about or lie down where they will. After the ceremony the livestock is formally handed over to the monks, who receive little other payment for their services.

### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles from reputable physicians, as the danger they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. It cures Catarrh of the Nose, Throat, Lungs, and Bladder. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### Queer Idea of Chinese.

The following is a quite modern Chinese conception of the foreigners' treatment of infectious cases: "If an epidemic broke out two foreigners took the sick away and put them in a little room, washed them with lime water and then locked them up, so that no one could see them, on purpose that they might soon die and not propagate the disease. Wives and children might cry and weep, but the foreigner would not drive them away with sticks, for until dead no one must see those faces again. Better for all of us to jump into the sea than submit to this."—South China Post.

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Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Two Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.  
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## Women Avoid Operations

When a woman suffering from female trouble is told that an operation is necessary, it, of course, frightens her.

The very thought of the hospital, the operating table and the knife strikes terror to her heart.

It is quite true that these troubles may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but a great many women have been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after an operation has been decided upon as the only cure. The strongest and most grateful statements possible to make come from women who by taking

### Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

made from native roots and herbs, have escaped serious operations, as evidenced by Miss Rose Moore's case, of 207 W. 26th St., N. Y. She writes: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured me of the very worst form of female trouble and I wish to express to you my deepest gratitude. I suffered intensely for two years so that I was unable to attend to my duties and was a burden to my family. I doctored and doctored with only temporary relief and constantly objecting to an operation which I was advised to undergo. I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; it cured me of the terrible trouble and I am now in better health than I have been for many years."

This and other such cases should encourage every woman to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before she submits to an operation.

### Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

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MISS ROSE MOORE

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## NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

### LAKE VILLA, ILL.

As Kerr was a Waukegan visitor last week.

Mrs. Ben Dix was a Chicago visitor Friday.

Harold Harbaugh was an Antioch business visitor Saturday.

Mr. Shepardson is reported on the mend and able to sit up.

Dr. W. E. Hesselgrave was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Miss Jeanie O'Neal of Chicago, visited Lewis Witt Sunday.

Attorney Persons of Waukegan, was a Lake Villa visitor Monday.

Willard Briggs has secured the position as day operator at the depot.

Will Hucker is putting down a well for Eddie Lehman at his cottage.

Mrs. Geo. Hucker and daughter Edith were Chicago visitors Monday.

Mrs. Fred Hamlin was called to Chicago last week by the death of a cousin.

Lee Gilbert and Jim Brown of Libertyville, were Lake Villa visitors Thursday.

Thursday VanPatten & Sons had an automatic phonograph placed in their saloon.

J. K. Deering is having his cottage painted and decorated. Miller & Gony have the contract.

Mrs. Arthur Dibble of Burlington, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Witt, the first of the week.

Edgar and Ray Kerr and Johnnie Leonard attended Ringling Bros. circus in Chicago Friday.

Mrs. T. N. Hesselgrave of Waukegan, visited her son, Dr. W. E. Hesselgrave, and family Sunday and Monday.

G. V. Cordingly, with his mother and sister, will arrive from Chicago soon and open up his residence on the north shore for the summer.

Carpenters and laborers are now in great demand and Frank Hamlin is on the lookout for any such who may be around. A man couldn't starve in Lake Villa now if he wanted to.

Sunday we were visited by a real snow storm and the spring weather took on a decidedly wintry aspect. The coat bucket that had been stowed away for the summer was once more brought into evidence and the old stove was a welcome guest.

Monday, April 1, occurred the marriage of Miss Emma Witt of Lake Villa, to Arthur Dibble of Antioch, in Waukegan. The News extends congratulations and best wishes to the happy couple.

Messrs. and Mesdames Will and James Barnstable returned home from their western trip the last of last week. They report a splendid time and beautiful weather in the west.

It is reported that another brick building is to be erected in Lake Villa this spring, and will be finished by July first. It seems that the old town is waking up and beginning to boom.

Will VanPatten has had a hot and cold water system placed in the saloon for use in his barber business. A large porcelain wash bowl with hot and cold faucets has been placed near the chair and he is now prepared to give Al shampoos.

Geo. Hucker and family of Ingleside, moved into the Allen house on the west shore of the lake last Thursday. The house has been newly papered and decorated inside and as soon as the weather permits will be painted.

Last week W. G. Hucker purchased the residence property on Cedar avenue which he now occupies of the Lehman estate. He is preparing to paint and remodel the house at once. This is one of the choicest pieces of property in Lake Villa and Mr. Hucker is in luck to have secured it.

While driving a colt Thursday John Lane had the misfortune to have a runaway. In some manner the thills became detached from the wagon. The colt started, upsetting the wagon and throwing Mr. Lane out upon the ground. Aside from slight bruises he was not injured and was able to get home.

Friday morning Frank Hamlin was awarded the contract for the new Lehman \$10,000 home to be built on Deep Lake. We are very glad to note that our home boys will have the work and not imported labor. The securing of this contract speaks highly for Mr. Hamlin's ability as a contractor and is a great boost to him.

Lake Villa voters are in an uproar concerning the coming election to be held in the village of Lake Villa April 16. At the caucus the ticket put in the field consisted of Wm. Bradley for president and C. B. Dix, Fred Hamlin and Chas. Jarvis for trustees and was duly filed with the village clerk. Later an independent ticket was put in the field headed by Chas. Harbaugh

for president with Frank Hamlin and Jim Atwell for trustees. This ticket was duly filed with the clerk. When the tickets were taken to Waukegan the one headed by Wm. Bradley was found to be illegally gotten up, six objections being found to it, to-wit: 1, not sworn to. 2, did not have 5 per cent. of the signatures of the legal voters. 3, not made by a political party in existence at the last general election as named by law. 4, the respective places of residence of the proposed candidates therein named are not shown or stated in said certificate. 5, failed to state the office for which nominations were proposed. 6, said supposed certificate is otherwise insufficient, not in conformity with the law, and void. Monday evening a special meeting was called to try the case. A trial board consisting of Chas. Harbaugh, Frank Hamlin and James Kerr was chosen. The meeting was called to order by Chas. Harbaugh at 8:30. The call for a special meeting was read by the clerk and the roll was called, all members being present. Frank Hamlin was chosen by lot to act as trustee on the trial board. Horatio Nelson moved that the board adjourn. Motion carried. The trial board was called to order by Chas. Harbaugh. The objection to the petition was read by the clerk. It was signed by James Atwell. Attorney Miller moved the objection be thrown out on account of its not being sworn to. On read the statutes Attorney Persons found objections did not need to be sworn to. Attorney Miller withdrew his objection and the trial board retired to the jury room to come to a decision. They returned later and announced that they sustained the objection entered by James Atwell. The meeting adjourned at 9:40.

The News—No Pure Drug Cough Cure Laws would be needed, if all cough cures were like Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure 15—and has been for 20 years. The National Law now requires that if any poisons enter into a cough mixture, it must be printed on the label or package. For this reason mothers and others should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and see. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Simply refuse to accept any other. Sold by all dealers.

A Growl from the Cynic.  
The friend in need is generally a friend too many.

### GRAYSLAKE, ILL.

Mrs. E. J. Hopley has been ill with a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Mrs. J. Bullard spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Chicago.

The play at the Opera House on Saturday evening was well attended.

Mrs. Marshall Atwell is spending a few days with her sons in Chicago.

Geo. Strong attended the funeral of Mr. Wrinke at Twin Lakes on Monday.

Miss Emma Hubbard has been spending a few days with her brother in Kenosha.

Mrs. Emma Harvey of Waukegan, is spending a few days with Mrs. Rickey.

A number of members of the Women's Club attended a theatre party in Chicago on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Jas. Phelps spent the last of the week with friends here. She is contemplating a trip to England soon.

N. Jacobson returned home from Texas last week much improved in health. J. Longabaugh, who is also much improved, will remain there for some time.

### RUSSELL, ILL.

Mrs. Dr. Young was a Chicago caller on Saturday.

Mr. Briggs was entertained at Alex Murrie's over Sunday.

Mrs. James Little of Milwaukee is visiting with Mrs. G. A. Siver.

Mrs. Edith Langer of Chicago, is spending some time with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lawin returned to their home at Savannah Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey of Grayslake, spent Sunday at G. P. McNamara.

Miss Vera Eddy of Waukegan, visited at I. O. Colby's during the week.

Mrs. J. F. Clowford of Kenosha, spent Wednesday with relatives in Russell.

Miss Mollie Colby returned to Wheaton Sunday after a week's vacation at home.

Mrs. T. D. Newell attended the recital given at Waukegan on Thursday evening.

The basket social given by the school was largely attended and everyone had an enjoyable time. The proceeds amounted to \$13 which will be used for library books.

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### MILLBURN, ILL.

Geo. Gerrity was a caller in Antioch last Thursday.

Curtis Wells of Waukegan, visited Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cannon spent Saturday in Chicago.

Miss McDougall is visiting relatives in Highland Park.

O. E. Doman was a business caller in Libertyville last Wednesday.

Arthur Knox of Beloit, Wis., is here visiting with W. A. Bonner.

Fred Heddle of Somers, Wis., is here doing some building for Wm. Thom, Jr.

Miss Vivien Bonner is enjoying a week's vacation from her duties as school teacher.

Mrs. H. E. Jamieson and Mrs. Seevey returned from Libertyville last Thursday night.

Edd Gillings of Waukegan was here Saturday and Sunday visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Charles Taylor and Miss Yarlow of Hickory attended the Ladies Aid on Thursday.

A. H. Stewart returned Saturday night from his visit with his children in Chicago and Lily Lake.

### Bitten By a Spider.

Through blood poison caused by a spider bite, John Washington, of Bosauville, Tex., would have lost his leg which had become a mass of running sores, had he not been persuaded to try Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes, the first application relieved, and four boxes healed all the sores. Heals every sore. 25 c. at J. H. Swan's, druggist.

### Seventy Years Old.

In one of the Jersey courts of justice, a prisoner was about to be put on trial for a serious offense. Five jurors had been accepted. The clerk called out: "Dennis Riordan." A shriveled old Irishman responded: "Here!" The counsel for the defense looked at him and said: "Challenged." Why? On account of age. "How old are you?" the attorney asked. "Seventy," replied Dennis, in a wheezy, squeaky voice. The venerable judge asked: "My good man, when were you 70?" "Three years ago, yer honor!" shouted Dennis in a voice that could be heard blocks away. "Excused," said the judge; and he had to rap for order.

### No Installments.

Creditor—"Won't you pay me on the installment plan?" Debtor (haughtily)—"No. I always owe cash."

### ANSWER WAS A STINGER.

Cruel Rejoinder to Question of Impassioned Woman.

A Detroit woman said of the late Gen. Russell A. Alger: "In company with a half dozen other women—a committee, in fact—I once waited on Gen. Alger to try and interest him in woman suffrage. He was interested. He admitted the truth of many of our arguments. But in the matter of supporting us he would not go as far as we wanted him to go. One of our ladies got, I am afraid, a little over-excited. In her address to the general she imputed to woman more virtues than any merely human creature could possess. At the height of her eloquence Gen. Alger, chuckling, interrupted her. He said he had once attended a woman's suffrage meeting where the lady lecturer on the platform had benched about woman as this lady was doing. The lecturer, he said, ended a stirring climax with the question 'Where would man be if it had not been for woman?' She looked around the crowded hall. The silence was intense. She raised her hand and cried again impressively: 'I repeat, where would man be if it had not been for woman?' Then a coarse voice from the rear replied: 'In Paradise, ma'am!'"

### Most Common Proper Names.

Census returns show that the most common proper names in the world are largely the same, regardless of the country where they are found. Change in the form of pronunciation of the name does not necessarily mean a different name. In England and Wales the 15 most common names are these: Smith, Jones, Williams, Taylor, Davies, Brown, Thomas, Evans, Roberts, Johnson, Wilson, Robinson, Wright, Wood and Thompson. In the order named. In Scotland they are Smith, McDonald, Brown, Thompson, Robertson, Stewart, Campbell, Wilson, Anderson, Scott, Miller, McKenzie, Reid, Ross, McKay. In Ireland we find Murphy, Kelly, Sullivan, Walsh, Smith, O'Brien, Byrne, Connor, O'Neill, Reilly, Doyle, McCarthy, Gallagher, Doherty and Kennedy. In the United States the names differ somewhat in the different cities, but on the whole they are very similar.

Jefferson's Letter Brought \$160.  
A letter of Thomas Jefferson brought \$160 at auction recently.

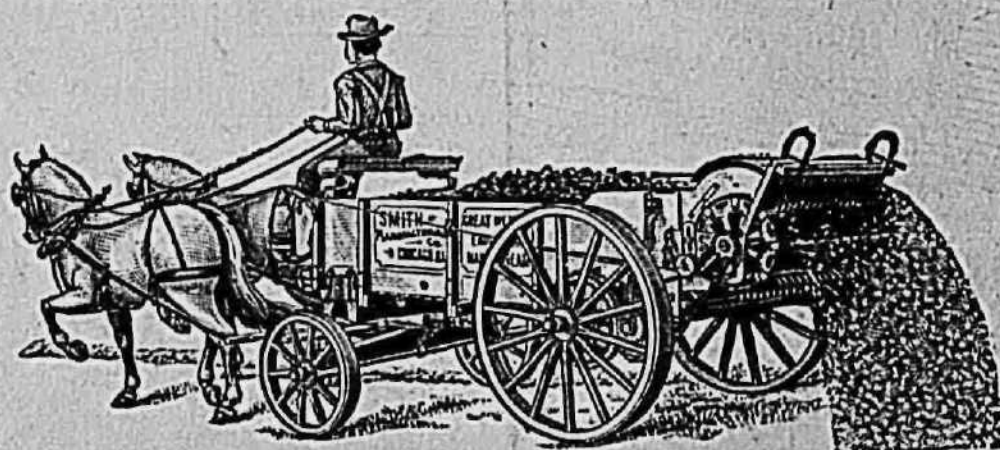
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